

## Key Decision Details

<b>Decision Name</b>	HOUSING BENEFIT - INTRODUCTION OF RISK BASED VERIFICATION
<b>Date of Decision</b>	18 October 2012
<b>Decision maker</b>	Cabinet
<b>Describe the Decision taken</b>	Approved the a proposal to introduce Risk Based Verification for the verification of new Housing and Council Tax Benefit claims that are submitted using the online claim facility.
<b>What were the reasons for taking the Decision?</b>	Risk Based verification will simplify the process of administering
<b>What alternative options were considered and rejected?</b>	None
<b>Conflict of interest and dispensation</b>	None
<b>Is the decision a Key Decision?</b>	Yes
<b>Was the decision included in the Forward Plan</b>	Yes
<b>Was the decision subject to the urgency proceedings?</b>	No
<b>List the background papers to any report considered by the Decision Taker</b>	None.
<b>Person Making this report</b>	Julia Barber, Head of Customer Services Mrs Helen Taylor
<b>Date upon which the Decision will come into force, subject to no call-in</b>	26 October 2012
<b>Accompanying Documents</b>	RBV September 2012 Ec Scrutiny RISK BASED VERIFICATION

