

**NOTIFICATION OF KEY DECISION TO BE TAKEN**

**GENERAL EXCEPTION NOTICE**

<b>DETAILS OF DECISION</b>	
<b>Title of Report</b>	Borough-wide Fire Safety
<b>Description/Nature of matter requiring Key Decision</b>	Approval of the actions being taken on fire safety in Southwark
<b>Decision taker</b>	Cabinet
<b>Date by which Key Decision must be taken</b>	18 July 2017
<b>Reason why it was impracticable for decision to be on the Forward Plan</b>	Following the tragic incident at Grenfell Tower the council is reviewing the risks, policies and procedures relating to fire safety in Southwark. The council is also looking at fire safety issues in non-council public buildings, collating information on these and on the measures that owners and landlords are taking across the borough. The review commenced in June 2017 and therefore could not be placed on the May 2017 Forward Plan update.
<b>Reason why the decision cannot wait for inclusion in the next Forward Plan</b>	The next decision period is September and the Council needs to give residents assurance and confidence in the safety precautions undertaken by the council in conjunction with the London Fire Brigade in the event of fire. Given the concerns this cannot wait for September.
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