

# **Cabinet (Special)**

MINUTES of the OPEN section of the Cabinet held on Wednesday 31 July 2013 at 4.00 pm at the Council Offices, 160 Tooley Street, London SE1 2QH

**PRESENT:** Councillor Peter John (Chair)

Councillor Ian Wingfield Councillor Fiona Colley Councillor Dora Dixon-Fyle Councillor Richard Livingstone Councillor Catherine McDonald

Councillor Victoria Mills Councillor Veronica Ward

### 1. APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Barrie Hargrove.

## 2. NOTIFICATION OF ANY ITEMS OF BUSINESS WHICH THE CHAIR DEEMS URGENT

There were no late items.

However, the chair gave notice of a late request received from UCATT to address the meeting in respect of item 5, Gateway 2: Contract Award Approval – Long Term Repairs and Maintenance Contract.

# 3. NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONDUCT BUSINESS IN A CLOSED MEETING, AND ANY REPRESENTATIONS RECEIVED

No representations were received in respect of the item listed as closed business for the meeting.

### 4. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS

There were no disclosures of interests or dispensations.

# 5. GATEWAY 2: CONTRACT AWARD APPROVAL - LONG-TERM REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE CONTRACT

A representative of UCATT addressed the cabinet meeting to make their case for returning the repairs and maintenance contract back to the DLO (Direct Labour Organisation).

#### **RESOLVED:**

That the award of the repairs and maintenance contract covering Camberwell, Peckham, Peckham Rye, Nunhead and Dulwich (and borough wide temporary accommodation) to Mears Ltd for an annual value of up to £11m to commence from 3 October 2013 for five years with the option to extend for a further period up to five years (three plus two years), subject to performance, making an estimated contract value of £110,000,000 be approved.

#### **EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

It was moved, seconded and

### **RESOLVED:**

That the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in category 3 of paragraph 10.4 of the Access to Information Procedure Rules of the Southwark Constitution.

The following is a summary of the closed part of the meeting.

# 6. GATEWAY 2: CONTRACT AWARD APPROVAL - LONG-TERM REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE CONTRACT

The cabinet considered the closed information relating to this item. See item 5 for decision.

The meeting ended at 5.00pm.	
CHAIR:	
DATED:	

DEADLINE FOR NOTIFICATION OF CALL-IN UNDER SECTION 21 OF THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PROCEDURE RULES IS MIDNIGHT, THURSDAY 8 AUGUST 2013.

THE ABOVE DECISIONS WILL NOT BE IMPLEMENTABLE UNTIL AFTER THAT DATE. SHOULD A DECISION OF THE CABINET BE CALLED-IN FOR SCRUTINY, THEN THE RELEVANT DECISION WILL BE HELD IN ABEYANCE PENDING THE OUTCOME OF SCRUTINY CONSIDERATION.