CRAWLEY BOROUGH COUNCIL

ACCESS TO INFORMATION PROCEDURE RULES

RULE 16 - GENERAL EXCEPTION

Notice is hereby given that a key decision will be taken by the Cabinet on the following matter which has not been advertised 28 days prior to the date that the decision is required to be taken:-

Petition - "Save Crawley's Adventure Playgrounds".

The date by which the decision must be taken makes it impracticable to defer the decision to allow the notice period to elapse. Therefore Rule 16 (General Exception) of the Access to Information Procedure Rules will be applied and a decision will be taken by the Cabinet on this matter on 3 February 2021.

The reason it is necessary for this decision to proceed, is in accordance with the Council's Constitution and Petition Scheme a petition (50-999 valid signatures) should be presented to the next meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Commission and following Cabinet meeting, wherever practicable. For that reason it is not practical to wait 28 days.

The Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Commission has been consulted.

Dated 13 January 2021

Chief Executive

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Note:

- (a) This notice is to be sent to the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Commission, or if there is no such person, to each Member of that Commission giving at least five clear days of the decision to be taken
- (b) At the same time, copies of this notice shall also be made available to the public at the Town Hall, Crawley