

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

### Executive Decision Record

<b>Decision Maker:</b>	Cabinet
<b>Date:</b>	27 September 2010
<b>Title:</b>	Government grant consultations
<b>Reference:</b>	2023
<b>Report From:</b>	County Treasurer

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#### 1. The decision:

- a) That the County Treasurer in conjunction with the Leader be authorised to respond to the Government's consultations on:
- changes to the Dedicated Schools Grant, as set out in Appendix 1 to the supporting report
  - the three social care grants, as set out in Appendix 2 to the supporting report
  - the top-slice of revenue grant for improvement services to local authorities, as set out in section 4 of the supporting report
  - the formula grant distribution methodology, as set out in Appendix 3 to the supporting report
- and reflecting the views set out in the Minutes of the Meeting (Minute 147 refers); and
- b) that the response be sent to all MPs in Hampshire.

#### 2. Reason for the decision:

- 2.1. To determine the County Council's response to the Government's consultation with a view to influencing the Government's decisions on the future distribution of revenue grants.

#### 3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1. Not to respond to the consultations. This option was rejected because of the importance for future grant allocations of making known to the Government the views of the County Council.

**4. Conflicts of interest:**

4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: none.

4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: none.

**5. Dispensation granted by the Standards Committee: none.**

**6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.**

**7. Statement from the Decision Maker:**

**Approved by:**

**Date:**

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**27 September 2010**

**Chairman of the Cabinet  
Councillor T K Thornber CBE**