

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Policy and Resources
Date:	26 March 2012
Title:	Temporary Buildings Programme 2012/13
Decision Reference:	3814
Report From:	Director of Culture, Communities and Business Services

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1. The decision:

1.1 The letting of contracts for Temporary Buildings up to a maximum total value of £2.8 million. These contracts are to be procured through an existing framework and will be for the supply and installation of temporary accommodation on 17 schools sites as scheduled in this report.

2. Reasons for the decision:

- 2.1. The Department for Education's capital announcement for 2012/13 was late and the extra school places required for September 2012 will, in the main, have to be provided in temporary accommodation. Plans to deliver these requirements have therefore been put in place.
- 2.2. Engagement with the industry has established that there is a high demand for temporary accommodation nationally this year. In order to secure the required production capacity for these temporary buildings formal approval is required for procurement.

3. Other options considered and rejected: None

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. Reasons for the matter being dealt with if urgent:

- 6.1. Property Services is well advanced with the necessary preparatory work and have secured prices from the framework suppliers to meet the pressing programme and are now in a position to form contracts for the required units, subject to the necessary approvals.
- 6.2. In working through the procurement it has become clear that capacity to manufacture the units is in limited supply. This is due to production slots being earmarked for orders placed by other authorities. It is, therefore, highly desirable that approval of the procurement is brought forward so that contracts can be placed to secure the Council's requirements.

7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by: -----	Date: 26 March 2012
Executive Member for Policy and Resources Councillor T.K. Thornber, CBE	