HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Cabinet
Date:	16 April 2018
Title:	Supporting Children's Services in Buckinghamshire
Report From:	Chief Executive

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1. The decision:

1.1. That Cabinet:

- a) Notes the report and the developing role of Hampshire County Council as an improvement partner in children's services;
- b) Endorses the actions taken to date and approves the arrangement for Hampshire County Council to become the Improvement Partner with Buckinghamshire County Council, including the role of the Chief Executive as the DfE Commissioner for Buckinghamshire and the role of the Director of Children's Services (DCS) overseeing the improvement programme;
- c) Notes also the continuing progress of the equivalent relationship with Torbay Borough Council.

2. Reason for the decision:

2.1. To approve a newly established formal relationship with Buckinghamshire County Council on behalf of the Department for Education.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1. 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 Conduct Advisory Panel: None.

Approved by:	Date:
	16 April 2018
Chairman of Cabinet Councillor Roy Perry	
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6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: Not applicable.

7. Statement from the Decision Maker: