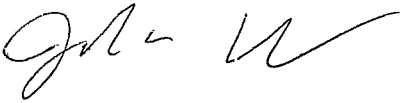


ED2. EXECUTIVE DECISIONS BY A CABINET MEMBER OR AN OFFICER

A. Report Title: Retendering of ex-Europa Contracts	
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C. Decision Maker: Councillor G. Rice	
D. Position held: Chair of Planning, Transport and Regeneration Overview & Scrutiny Committee	
E. Key decision: Key	F. Delegation ref: N/a
G. Is the decision urgent? Yes	
H. If yes, state why. Very urgent – The Europa highway service was returned to Thurrock on 1 August 2013. This included the provision of technical services and highway inspections which were delivered by a Europa contract. These services are essential and non provision has public safety risk. Consequently the service needs to be provided continuously by means of a waiver for Thurrock to use their current terms up to the end of February 2014 whilst Thurrock procures new contracts. A decision to proceed with the procurement process is required in advance of the November Cabinet meeting in order that the new contracts can be in place before the waiver expires.	

I. DECISION (strike out whichever does not apply) : 1. I agree the recommendations in the attached report for the reasons given in the report; OR 2. <i>My decision is:</i> <i>*The reason for my decision is:</i> * Continue overleaf or on an additional sheet if necessary. Signed:  Date: 4/10/2013
