ED2. EXECUTIVE DECISIONS BY A CABINET MEMBER OR AN OFFICER

A. Report Title: Contract novation of the Strategic Services Partnership between Thurrock Council and Vertex Data Sciences Ltd to an alternative company within the Vertex Group company structure This is an exempt report by virtue of Part 1 of Schedule 12 of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) because it contains information relating to the financial affairs of the Authority together with those of other parties. Tel: 2390 / 2070 B. Report Author(s): Graham Farrant (Chief E-mail: Executive): Richard Waterhouse (Director of gfarrant@thurrock.gov.uk Transformation) rwaterhouse@thurrock.gov.uk C. Decision Maker: Cllr John Kent D. Position held: Leader of the Council F. Delegation ref: not applicable E. Key decision: YES YES G. Is the decision urgent? H. If yes, state why. The novation is required quickly in line with actions requested from Vertex and agreed by Officers and the Leader.

- 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**

Date: 10 15 MM 2012

2. *My decision is:

*The reason for my decision is:

* Continue overleaf or on an additional sheet if necessary.

Signed:

URGENCY

N .	m that in my opinion a decis	ion on this matter is urgent and	cannot
reasonabl	y be øęlayed:		
Signed:	Keth	Date: 10/5/2012	
To be o	completed by Democratic Serv	ices	
Date decision received by Dem. Services:		Date decision published:	
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Implement	tation date:		
Relevant C) & S Committee: Corporate (Overview & Scrutiny Committee	