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## OFFICIAL EXECUTIVE DECISION NOTICE PUBLISHED BY DEMOCRATIC SERVICES

Notice is hereby given that the following decision(s) have been made today by Cabinet Members at the London Borough of Hillingdon:

<b>Title of decision</b>	<b>CONTRACT FOR THE DISPOSAL OF SINGLE USE VAPING PRODUCTS</b>
<b>Reference No.</b>	1161
<b>Date of decision</b>	Wednesday 17 July 2024
<b>Call-in expiry date</b>	Wednesday 24 July 2024
<b>Relevant Select Committee</b>	Residents' Services Select Committee
<b>Relevant Wards</b>	N/A

### Decision made

<b>Cabinet Members making the decision</b>	Councillor Ian Edwards – Leader of the Council Councillor Eddie Lavery – Cabinet Member for Residents' Services
<b>Decision</b>	<b>Approved</b>  That the Leader of the Council and the Cabinet Member for Residents' Services agreed to the appointment of WasteCare Ltd for the disposal of non-compliant and unsafe single use vape products seized and detained at Heathrow Airport by the Council's Trading Standards Officers.
<b>Reason for decision</b>	The Council has a statutory duty to ensure that consumer goods intended for the UK market are safe and comply with all relevant legislation. Trading Standards Officers carry out regular checks on imported goods at Heathrow Airport.
<b>Alternative options considered and rejected</b>	Other ATFs/ AATFs may be available. Should the Council choose a supplier not on the OPSS list then additional due diligence checks would be required. The OPSS is satisfied that the suppliers on their list offer good value for money and have the necessary expertise to dispose of detained goods.
<b>Classification</b>	Part II – Members Only and Not for Publication
<b>Link to associated report</b>	That this report be declared as exempt from publication as it involves the disclosure of information in accordance with section 100(A) and paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12(A) to the Local Government Act 1972 in that the report contains information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information) and that the public interest in withholding the information outweighs the public interest in disclosing it.

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<b>Relevant Officer contact &amp; Directorate</b>	Martin King, Trading Standards Manager King-Yip Cheung, Senior Trading Standards Officer
<b>Any interest declared by the Cabinet Member(s) / dispensation granted</b>	N/A

### **Implementation of decision & scrutiny call-in**

<b>[Internal Use only]</b>	
<b>When can this decision be implemented by officers?</b>	<p>Officers can implement Cabinet Member decision in this notice only from the expiry of the scrutiny call-in period which is:</p> <p><b>5pm on Wednesday 24 July 2024</b></p> <p>However, this is subject to the decision not being called in by Councillors on the relevant Select Committee. Upon receipt of a valid call-in request, Democratic Services will immediately advise the relevant officer(s) and the decision must then be put on hold.</p>
<b>Councillor scrutiny call-in of this decision</b>	<p>Councillors on the relevant Select Committee shown in this notice may request to call-in this decision. The request must be before the expiry of the scrutiny call-in period above.</p> <p>Councillors should use the Scrutiny Call-in App (link below) on their devices to initiate any call-in request. Further advice can be sought from Democratic Services if required:</p> <p><b><u><a href="#">Scrutiny Call-In - Power Apps</a></u></b> (secure)</p>
<b>Further information</b>	<p>These decisions, where applicable, have been taken under The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012.</p> <p>This is the formal notice by the Council of the above executive decision, including links to the reports where applicable.</p> <p>If you would like more information on this decision, please contact Democratic Services on 01895 250636 or email: <a href="mailto:democratic@hillingdon.gov.uk">democratic@hillingdon.gov.uk</a>.</p> <p>Circulation of this decision notice is to a variety of people including Members of the Council, Corporate Directors, Officers, Group Secretariats and the Public. Copies are also placed on the Council's website.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Democratic Services</b> <b>London Borough of Hillingdon</b> <b>Civic Centre</b> <b>High Street</b> <b>Uxbridge</b> <b>UB8 1UW</b></p>