

## **EAST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**

### Notice under The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

On 4 September 2014 the County Council intends to hold a meeting of the Leader and Lead Member for Strategic Management and Economic Development at which the following item will be considered: provision of a loan to SeaChange Sussex to delivery the Sovereign Harbour Innovation Mall in Eastbourne.

Under the requirements of Regulation 9 of The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 the Council is required to give 28 days notice of a key decision identified within the scope of these regulations. It is considered that item referred to above would be a key decision and for the reasons of urgency outlined below, compliance is considered impracticable, and an exception to Regulation 9 is therefore sought under Regulation 10 of the above Regulations. It is considered impracticable to comply with the requirements of The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 because:

A decision is required to enable the scheme to commence as soon as possible to avoid additional delay and disruption costs.

Date: 22 August 2014