EAST HERTS COUNCIL

OPENNESS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT BODIES REGULATIONS 2014 OFFICER DECISION WRITTEN RECORD

Reference:	OD/(to be added by Democratic Services)
Subject Matter:	Assignment of access rights over EHDC owned access road off North Road, Hertford
Date of Decision:	23 May 2024
Exempt/Confidential information (Yes/No):	no
If Exempt/Confidential – reason why:	n/a
Name of Officer taking decision under delegated authority:	Steven Linnett, Head of Strategic Finance and Property
Source of delegated authority (constitution/express delegation/etc):	Acting under authority delegated within section 10.13.16 of the council's Constitution 'Lettings of all properties including council offices; consents to assignments and sub-lettings; the granting of easements and licences; entering into leases, sub-leases, licences and easements on behalf of the council as lessee or lessor, sub-lessee, licensee or grantee as appropriate; consent to modification or release of restrictive covenants; rent reviews under existing and future leases,

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	including the approval of terms, subject to reporting transactions half-yearly to the Executive
Exercise of delegated authority approved by: (if different from Officer taking decision)	
Decision:	To enter into a Deed of Covenant with new owners of 143 North Road, Hertford as required under the existing Deed of Easement.
Reason(s) for Decision:	A Deed of Easement has previously been issued to the owner of 143 North Road, Hertford permitting access rights over the adjacent access road owned by EHC. The Deed includes any successors in title but also requires any new owner to enter into a direct Deed of Covenant with EHC.

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Details of alternative options, if any considered and rejected:	n/a
Name of Officer who has confirmed with all Members involved in taking this decision whether they have pecuniary or non-pecuniary interest:	Note: if a Member has a pecuniary interest they should not take part in making this decision. If a Member has a non-pecuniary interest, a judgement should be made as to whether they can contribute to making this decision; if in doubt, check with a Democratic Services Officer.
Name(s) of any Member who has removed himself/herself from contributing to this decision because of a conflict of interest:	
Signature of Decision Maker (where decision is taken in consultation with a Member):	Add electronic signature
Signature of Member consulted by Decision Maker (where decision is taken in consultation with a Member):	Add electronic signature

SIGNATURES TO BE REDACTED