Item 3(c)

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Glasgow City Council

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SCHEME OF DELEGATED FUNCTIONS

Purpose of Report:

To submit for approval the Scheme of Delegated Functions

Recommendations:

It is recommended that the Council approves the Scheme of Delegated Functions as submitted.

Ward No(s): Citywide: ✓

Local member(s) advised: Yes ☐ No ☐ consulted: Yes ☐ No ☐

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1 Background

1.1 The attached Scheme of Delegated Functions is submitted for approval. The existing scheme has been amended to take account of revised management structures and changes in legislation. Some amendments have also been suggested to reflect current practice.

1.2 The main amendments are detailed in the following table.

Existing Delegation	Amendment	Reason
SECTION 4 Delegations to Officers General No 3	Legislative update	Changes in legislation following Brexit Linked to Item 3 (d) Standing Orders relating to Contracts
SECTION 4 Chief Executive No 11	The Chief Executive can approve urgent matters in exceptional circumstances and then report these decisions at the next appropriate CAC. Proposed change to refer to a report being taken to the appropriate committee.	This allows the matter to be reported to the relevant committee which may not necessarily be CAC.
SECTION 4 Chief Executive No 32	Legislative update	Changes in legislation following Brexit Linked to Item 3 (d) Standing Orders related to Contracts
SECTION 4 Chief Executive No 51	Change delegation from £50,000 to £100,000 to relate to funding economic development activity to include grants and loans to businesses	This sum has not been reviewed for many years and also recognises the wider remit of Economic Development.
SECTION 4 Executive Director of Finance No 5	Approval for virement within the revenue budget and investment programme increase from £100,000 to £500, 000	The sum has not been reviewed for many years and has now been updated in line with other large local authorities. The sum has also been reflected in the

		Financial Regulations, Management and Control (Item 3e)
SECTION 4 Executive Director of neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability No 66	Delegation to officers on property transactions should this be required and no committee is available. Any approvals to be subsequently reported to Contracts and Property Committee	To allow necessary property transactions to be dealt with e.g. during recess.
SECTION 4 Chief Officer IJB No 4	Value of provision of aids and adaptations for disabled people and special payments to Carers. Value increased from £50,000 to £100,000	To reflect recent cases and the increase in both complexity of need requiring to be met and also increases in building prices as a result of the current price inflation being experienced in the sector.
SECTION 4 Chief Officer to IJB No 5	Legislative changes -	Linked to new EU limits and Item 3 (d) Standing Orders relating to Contracts

2 Policy and Resource Implications

Resource Implications:

Financial: N/A

Legal: N/A

Personnel: N/A

Procurement: N/A

Council Strategic Plan: A Well Governed City that Listens and Responds

Equality and Socio-Economic Impacts:

Does the proposal support the Council's Equality Outcomes 2021-25? Please specify.	N/A
What are the potential equality impacts as a result of this report?	N/A
Please highlight if the policy/proposal will help address socio-economic disadvantage.	N/A

Climate Impacts:

Does the proposal support any Climate Plan actions? Please specify:	N/A
What are the potential climate impacts as a result of this proposal?	N/A
Will the proposal contribute to Glasgow's net zero carbon target?	N/A

Privacy and Data Protection Impacts:	N/A

3 Recommendations

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