

## **EX136. Corporate Debt Policy**

The Executive considered a report by the Director of Corporate and Housing Services presenting a Corporate Debt Recovery Policy for approval. It was designed to provide consistency across each of the Council's debt streams, namely:-

- council tax;
- non domestic rates;
- rents;
- sundry debts; and
- housing benefits overpayments.

### **Decision**

#### **The Executive:-**

- (1) agreed the Corporate Debt Policy;**
- (2) noted that the policy will be reviewed every 3 years, but more frequently if there are material changes to the way in which any debt is recovered, and**
- (3) noted the intention to review the rent appendix in 2018 in light of Welfare Reform changes and in particular the roll-out of Universal Credit.**