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MUNICIPAL YEAR 2019/20

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— Claire Johnson (ext.4239)

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1/36/ 19-20	Cabinet Member for Social Housing (Cllr Gina Needs)	Monday 4 November 2019	Parts 1	Minor amendments to the Housing Allocations Scheme	Non-Key	Upper Edmonton	Yes – Friday 1 November 2019	1

DECISIONS

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LIST REFERENCE: 1/36/19-20

SUBJECT TITLE OF THE REPORT:

MINOR AMENDMENTS TO THE HOUSING ALLOCATIONS SCHEME

Part 1 or 2 (relevant exempt Paragraph)	Wards affected by decision	Decision taken by	Date Decision comes in to effect	Interest declared in respect of the Decision	Category of decision (i.e. Key, Non-Key, Council, Urgent)	Contact Details	Eligible for Call- in & Date to be called in by
Parts 1	ALL	Cabinet Member for Social Housing (Cllr Gina Needs)	Monday 4 November 2019	None	Non - Key	Helen Stavrou 0208 132 0252 helen.stavrou@enfield.gov.uk	Yes – Friday 1 November 2019

DECISION

AGREED: that the following decision will come into effect on Monday 4 November 2019, subject to not being called in:

- 1. that the Cabinet Member for Social Housing agrees the following minor amendments to Enfield's Allocation Scheme:
 - i. Exceptions and Special Application Panel Appeals
 - The Allocation Scheme states that appeals against Exceptions & Special Applications Panel will be heard by the Assistant Director of Community Housing. This post no longer exists following the creation of the post of Director for Housing and Regeneration who has responsibility for the Council's Allocations Scheme. Appeals will be heard by a Head of Service in Housing & Regeneration Service.
 - ii. <u>Improving information for Council and Housing Association Tenants applying to transfer to a different property</u>
 The Allocations Scheme does not explain the process for an existing council of housing association tenant to make an application for a transfer under the Housing Register. Further, the process will highlight or refer tenants to the relevant section in the scheme that provides for the Rights of Information, review or complaints where applicable.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED

1. None. The changes recommended by the LGO, although not strictly binding, ensures more transparency in the scheme.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Please see above.

BACKGROUND:

Please note that a copy of the report is available on the Council's Democracy pages.