

## Budget Statement – Integrated Impact Assessment (IIA) **Not** Required Template

To be completed as a record of your decision that an IIA is **not** required

Please ensure you have read the [IIA Guidance](#) before completing this template.

### Title of proposal

#### **Non-Domestic Rates (NDR) – appeals**

### Purpose of proposed work

Following a number of successful appeals in the current year, the Council's overall NDR liability has reduced by some £1.3m. Although maintenance of this overall saving is dependent upon the outcome of a wider revaluation effective from April 2026, the budget framework acknowledges this as a wider risk and, as such, the saving is assumed to be available to contribute towards future years' funding gaps.

### Lead Officer

Martin Clark, Head of Strategy and Best Value

### Service and Department

Finance – Customer and Corporate Services

### Date

10 December 2025

### Confirmation that an IIA is **not** required:

	<b>Yes / No</b>
Will your proposal have a meaningful impact on people/groups with <a href="#">Protected Characteristics</a> (including care experienced children and young people)?	No (see below)
Will your proposal impact on <a href="#">human rights</a> ?	No (see below)
Will your proposal impact on the rights of <a href="#">children and young people</a> ?	No (see below)
Will your proposal have a meaningful impact on people experiencing <a href="#">socio economic disadvantage</a> ?	No (see below)
Will your proposal impact on <a href="#">climate and nature</a> ?	No (see below)

If you have said **No to all the above**, please record your reasoning for this decision below. You must also complete the relevant section of a committee report, as appropriate. This must include confirmation that your proposal:

- has no meaningful relevance to equality
- does not impact in a way that is incompatible with human and children's rights
- has no meaningful relevance to socio economic disadvantage
- has no relevant impact on climate and nature

## Record of decision

The proposal consolidates a saving that is already being delivered. As such, there is not expected to be any additional impact related to equality or socio-economic disadvantage, human and children's rights or climate and nature.

If you have said **yes** to any of the above, please read the [IIA Guidance](#) before completing the [IIA](#) template.

## Authorisation by Head of Service

### Name and title

Richard Lloyd-Bithell, Service Director: Finance and Procurement

### Date

10 December 2025

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