

## **B6** LOCAL CHOICE FUNCTIONS

The Council has determined that the functions listed in the first column of the table below will be carried out by the bodies listed in the second column and delegated further as detailed in the third column.

	FUNCTION	RESPONSIBILITY FOR FUNCTION	DELEGATION OF FUNCTION
1.	Any function under a local Act other than a function specified or referred to in regulation 2 or Schedule 1 of the Local Authorities (Functions and Responsibilities) Regulations 2000 as amended.	Council	None
2.	The determination of an appeal against any decision made by or on behalf of the authority.	Council	Appeals Committee, unless otherwise delegated to officer under <b>Part H3</b> (Scheme of Functions delegated to Officers)
3.	The appointment of review boards under regulations under subsection (4) of section 34 (determination of claims and reviews) of the Social Security Act 1998.	Executive	Assistant Director, Customers & Systems
4.	The making of arrangements to review any decisions to permanently exclude pupils from maintained schools.	Executive	Monitoring Officer
5.	The making of arrangements pursuant to sections 94(1), (1A) and (4) of the School Standards and Framework Act 1998 (admissions appeals).	Executive	Monitoring Officer
6.	The making of arrangements pursuant to section 95(2) of the School Standards and Framework Act 1998 (children to whom section 87 applies: appeals by governing bodies).	Executive	Monitoring Officer

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7.	The making of arrangements under section 20 (questions on police matters at council meetings) of the Police Act 1996 for enabling questions to be put on the discharge of the functions of a police authority.	Council	None
8.	The making of appointments to the Police and Crime Panel under schedule 6 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act.	Council	None
9.	Any function relating to contaminated land.	Executive	Director of Sustainable Communities
10.	The discharge of any function relating to the control of pollution or the management of air quality.	Executive	Director of Sustainable Communities
11.	The service of an abatement notice in respect of a statutory nuisance.	Executive	Director of Sustainable Communities
12.	The passing of a resolution that Schedule 2 to the Noise and Statutory Nuisance Act 1993 should apply in the authority's area.	Executive	Director of Sustainable Communities
13.	The inspection of the authority's area to detect any statutory nuisance.	Executive	Director of Sustainable Communities
14.	The investigation of any complaint as to the existence of a statutory nuisance.	Executive	Director of Sustainable Communities
15.	The obtaining of information under section 330 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 as to interests in land.	Allocated to each of the Executive and Council (and delegated where appropriate to the relevant committees and officers) so far as required for carrying out functions allocated to these bodies.	Director of Sustainable Communities

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16.	The obtaining of particulars of persons interested in land under section 16 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976.	Allocated to each of the Executive and Council (and delegated where appropriate to the relevant committees and officers) so far as required for carrying out functions allocated to these bodies.	All Directors
17.	The making of agreements for the execution of highways works.	Council	Development Management Committee, and delegated to the Director of Sustainable Communities
18.	<p>The appointment of any individual -</p> <p>(a) to any office other than an office in which he/she is employed by the authority;</p> <p>(b) to any body other than -</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">(i) the authority;</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">(ii) a joint committee of two or more authorities; or</p> <p>(c) to any committee or sub-committee of such a body,</p> <p>and the revocation of any such appointment.</p>	<p>Council</p> <p>Initial appointments after a new Council is elected to be made by the Council, except an appointment to a joint health overview and scrutiny committee, arrangements for which are set out in Paragraph 5 of <b>Part D1</b> of the constitution.</p>	<p>General Purposes Committee (for appointments in relation to Directors and Chief Executive) and Chief Executive (for appointments in relation to officers below Director level).</p> <p>Thereafter the Monitoring Officer is authorised, in consultation with Group Leaders, to make new appointments, fill vacancies, approve variations to existing appointments and delete organisations from the approved list.</p>

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19.	The making of agreements with other local authorities for the placing of staff at the disposal of those other authorities.	Executive (for decisions on staff at Assistant Director Service level and above).	All Directors (for decisions on staff below Assistant Director level).
20.	Functions under the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 relating to local area agreements: - Section 106 (Duty to prepare and submit draft of Local Area Agreement)  Section 110 (Revision and addition of targets)  Section 111 (Designated targets: revision proposals†)  Section 113 (Duty to publish information about Local Area Agreement)	Council  Council  Council  Executive	None  None  None  Chief Executive

† Designated targets are those targets that are designated as priorities by the Secretary of State, relating to Public Service Agreements.