

## Summary of decisions taken by the West Mercia Adoption Service on Thursday, 24 April 2014

Agenda Item No	Topic	Decision
A1	West Mercia Adoption Service	That the recommendations in the report by the Head of Children's Social Care and Safeguarding be approved, namely:
		<ul> <li>(a) Approve the direction of the proposed future operating model for a West Mercia Adoption Service.</li> <li>(b) Confirm the intention to move to implementation of the operating model (option 2).</li> <li>(c) Confirm the intention to move to Option 3 and agree that this decision be determined by the Portfolio Holder in consultation with the Director of Children's Services.</li> <li>(d) Agree that implementation, including preferred providers and preferred host authority, be determined by the Portfolio Holder in consultation with the Director of Children's Services.</li> <li>Reason:</li> <li>To allow collaborative work to go forward.</li> </ul>