



## Boston Borough Council

### Delegated Decision Record

This records a key or other decision taken by the Cabinet in accordance with the Council's Scheme of Delegations (as set out in Section 3 of Part 3 of the Council's Constitution).

Unless the Leader and the Chairman of the relevant Overview and Scrutiny Committee certify that the matter is so urgent that the normal five-day scrutiny delay on action should not apply, then this decision will come into force and may then be implemented on the expiry of five clear working days after the publication of the decision, unless called in under the call-in procedures as set out in Section E of Part 4 of the Council's Constitution.

Decision Maker	Cabinet
Report Title	Counter Fraud, Bribery and Corruption Policy
Summary Background	To review and update the Policy across each of the Councils and have a single aligned Policy across the Partnership.
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Ward(s) Affected	None
Urgent?	No
Key Decision?	No
In Forward Plan?	Yes
Date of Decision	10 December 2025
Date Published	11 December 2025
Call-In Expiry	18 December 2025
Exempt Information?	No
Decision (Action Agreed)	<b>Resolved:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That the Counter Fraud, Bribery and Corruption Policy attached at Appendix 1 within the report be approved; and</li> <li>2. That authority be delegated to the S151 Officer, to review and make minor amendments to the Policy to reflect changes in legislation, statutory guidance or contact details, following consultation with the portfolio holder.</li> </ol>
Reason(s)	By seeking to prevent fraud and encouraging the reporting of potential corruption, the Council can

	better safeguard the public funds that it administers.
Options	Not having a Counter Fraud, Bribery and Corruption Policy - rejected as the Council has statutory obligations to have measures in place to tackle fraud.
Further Information	N/A