

## Approvals for July 2013

## Recruitment and consultancy freeze – exceptions approved – July 2013

During the month of July 2013, the following exceptions to the recruitment and consultancy freeze have been considered by the Chief Executive, in his capacity as Accounting Officer:

Approval date	Ref: No. & directorate	Summary of application	Consultancy/ recruitment	Decision
05/07/13	290 RME	2 Grade D/E Grade Economists	Recruitment	Approved
05/07/13	291 Legal	Legal Advisor Grade C	Recruitment	Approved
09/07/13	288 CO	Smarter Working project manager	Recruitment	Approved
09/07/13	292 RPP	Temporary Administrator	Recruitment	Approved
25/07/13	295 RME	Fixed term grade F economist	Recruitment	Approved
25/07/13	296 RME	Extension to Volume Incentive role in RME	Recruitment	Approved
25/07/13	299 Legal	Extension to Director of Corporate Operations 12/08 to 31/10 2013	Recruitment	Approved

## Requests for consultancy valued at <£20,000 considered by the Director of Corporate Operations: call centre

18/07/13	294 RPP	Audit of maintenance and renewal efficient expenditure assessment model, £19,000	Consultancy	Approved
24/07/13	297 Legal	Scottish level crossing advice, £500	Consultancy	Approved
29/07/13	300 RPP	Extension to efficiency review, £18,000	Consultancy	Approved