

Approvals for April 2013

**Recruitment and consultancy freeze – exceptions approved – April 2013**

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

<b>Approval date</b>	<b>Ref: No. &amp; directorate</b>	<b>Summary of application</b>	<b>Consultancy/ recruitment</b>	<b>Decision</b>
<b>14/04/2013</b>	274 Legal	Exception to Ext Recruitment - 1 x Grade G Legal administrator - 12 month FTC to Mar 14	Recruitment	Approved
<b>19/04/2013</b>	280 CO	Approval to Recruit Grade F Business Planning	Recruitment	Approved
<b>23/04/2013</b>	281 CO	HR Systems Officer (P Tran Maternity Leave)	Recruitment	Approved
<b>29/04/2013</b>	282 Legal	Exemption to Recruit Grade C Legal Adviser fixed term appointment	Recruitment	Approved

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

<b>02/04/2013</b>	277 RPP	Exception to the Consultancy Freeze - Performance Investigations support- £18,000	Consultancy	Approved
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