

Approvals for January 2014

**Recruitment and consultancy freeze – exceptions approved – January 2014**

During the month of January 2014, 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>07/01/2014</b>	333 CO	Temporary Management Accountant	Recruitment	Approved
<b>09/01/2014</b>	335 RME	Temporary Financial Analyst (extension to Ref: 302)	Recruitment	Approved
<b>09/01/2014</b>	336 RSD	RSD Team Administrator	Recruitment	Approved
<b>10/01/2014</b>	339 RPP	Senior Civil Engineer (secondment)	Recruitment	Approved
<b>20/01/14</b>	343 RSD	Trainee Safety Inspector – South West	Recruitment	Approved
<b>20/01/14</b>	344 RPP	Grade E Business Intelligence executive	Recruitment	Approved
<b>22/01/14</b>	345 RPP	RPP Team Administrator	Recruitment	Approved
<b>29/01/14</b>	350 CO	HR Business Partner	Recruitment	Approved
<b>30/01/14</b>	346 Strategy	Review of RM3, £30,000	Consultancy	Approved
<b>30/01/14</b>	347 RPP	Consultancy support for determination of enhancements costs in 2013/14, £140,000 (extension to Ref: 313)	Consultancy	Approved

<b>30/01/14</b>	348 RSD	RSD Team Administrator	Recruitment	Approved
<b>30/01/14</b>	351 RME	ORR's use of competition powers, £78,000	Consultancy	Approved
<b>31/01/14</b>	353 Legal	Legal Support Officer (fixed term appointment)	Recruitment	Approved

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

<b>09/01/2014</b>	337 Legal	Case – advice regarding market definition, £20,000	Consultancy	Approved
<b>09/01/2014</b>	338 RME	Impact of reclassification of Network Rail's debt, £8,000	Consultancy	Approved
<b>22/01/14</b>	342 RPP	“R” statistical software development, £15,000	Consultancy	Approved
<b>30/01/14</b>	352 RSD	Expert witness, £9,974	Consultancy	Approved