

## Treasury management scheme of delegation

### **Full Council**

B.4.1 Approval of annual strategy.

### **Audit & Governance Committee**

B.4.2. Receiving and reviewing regular monitoring reports.

### **Chief Finance Officer**

B.4.3. Reviewing the treasury management policy and procedures and making recommendations to the responsible body.

- Raising borrowing or funding finance from the most appropriate of these sources:
  - Government's Public Works Loans Board
  - lenders' option borrowers' option (LOBO) loans
  - local bond issues
  - European Investment Bank
  - overdraft
  - banks and building societies
  - local authorities
  - lease finance providers
  - internal borrowing.
- Debt management:
  - managing the cost of debt;
  - delegate authority to treasury management staff to undertake borrowing and debt rescheduling activities.
- CIPFA Prudential Code for Capital Finance in Local Authorities:
  - ensuring that this requirement is not breached, taking into account current commitments, existing plans, and the proposals in the budget report.
- Investing:
  - setting more restrictive investment criteria in response to changing circumstances;
  - arranging investments using these instruments:
    - fixed term deposits with banks and building societies
    - money market funds
    - local authorities
    - Government's Debt Management Agency deposits
    - pooled funds: gilts and corporate funds;
  - compiling and updating the lending list, utilising the criteria for counterparties, in consultation with the treasury management consultants;
  - managing surplus funds and revenue from investments;
  - appointment and performance management of external cash managers (if considered necessary);
  - delegate authority to invest to designated treasury management staff.

- Loan rescheduling:
  - any debt rescheduling which will be done in consultation with the treasury management consultants.
- Policy documentation:
  - formulation and review of the treasury management strategy statement;
  - formulation and review of the treasury management practices (TMPs).
- Strategy implementation:
  - implementing the strategy, ensuring no breaches of regulations;
  - reporting to Cabinet any material divergence from the strategy making requests to Council to approve amendments to the strategy as required;
  - ensuring that treasury management activities are carried out in accordance with CIPFA Codes of Practice.