



DERBY CITY COUNCIL

## Notice of Call-In of Executive Key Decision

In accordance with Rule OS36 of the Council's Constitution, we the undersigned hereby give notice that we wish to call-in the following executive key decision:

1. Decision 206/14 Castle Nursery School - Closure  
Proposal
2. Meeting at which the decision was made Council Cabinet
3. Date of the meeting 15th April 2015

We believe that the following principles of decision making have been breached by the making of this decision (tick relevant boxes):

- a) Proportionality (i.e. the action must be proportionate to the desired outcome) ☐
- b) Due consultation and the taking of professional advice from officers ☐
- c) Respect for human rights ☐
- d) A presumption in favour of openness ☐
- e) Clarity of aims and desired outcomes ☒
- f) A record of what options were considered and giving the reasons for the decision ☐

and/or that relevant issues do not appear to have been taken into consideration ☒

We believe these principles have been breached for the following reasons:

Principle	Reasons why breached
a. Proportionality	
b. Due consultation and the taking of professional advice from officers	
c. Respect for human rights	
d. A presumption in favour of openness	
e. Clarity of aims and desired outcomes	Is this just to save money? What reason will be given to the Secretary of State for the closure?
f. A record of what options were considered and giving the reasons for the decision	
and/or that relevant issues do not appear to have been taken into consideration	The nursery's strategic plan is beginning to work. Cabinet have not given weight to this. Rather they have chosen to base their decision on the previous 8 years occupancy.