Appendix B - Audit Follow-up Corporate & Democratic Services (Reporting for All dates on or before: October 2017)

Action Plan	Dates	Status/Explanation
17-05 - Management of Contracts Action Point : 1 - Authority to Enter Into Contracts Importance: Medium	Sep 2017 Mar 2018	The issues highlighted during the audit have been raised with the Financial Controllers however a procedure has yet to be developed.
Audit Committee Date: September 2017		Internal Audit Opinion: Satisfactory
The Chief Accountant will raise the issues highlighted regarding the levels of authority to enter into contracts with Financial Controllers in order to reiterate the importance of operating within agreed authority limits. The Financial Controllers will agree a procedure for ensuring that these limits are not breached in this manner.		
(S Walker, Chief Accountant)		