Section 1 - The Policy	
Policy title	BUDGET SAVINGS PROPOSALS 2023/24 – IT Infrastructure
Implementation date	April 2023

Please provide an overview of the policy including the key aims and expected outcomes:

This proposal aims to review structures and infrastructure budget provision and also to increase collaboration between corporate and Schools IT teams leading to efficiency savings of £10,000 per annum.

Detail the budget implication relating to the policy:

This proposal aims to save £10,000 per annum through efficiencies.

What will change as a result of this policy?

No identifiable changes. General efficiencies.

Indicate which groups of people will be, or potentially could be, impacted upon by the implementation of this policy?

None identified

Responsible Persons

Department / Section	Assets and Infrastructure				
Lead Officer	IT Manager				
IIA Team Members	IT Manager, Chief Officer				
Responsible Head of Service	Chief Officer				

Section 2 - Evidence

What data and information has been reviewed as part of the policy development process?

Accountancy review

Identification of efficiencies

Detail what consultation has taken place as part of the policy development process?

None

What does the information collected and the outcome of any consultation indicate regarding potential impacts of the policy?

None

Are there any gaps in knowledge? If further evidence or consultation required as part of the policy development process please detail:



Options for closer collaboration/sharing with Schools ICT

Section 3 - Initial Integrated Impact Assessment

Impact Overview	Yes	No
Is the policy strategic?	х	
Will individuals have access to, or be denied access to a service or function as a result of the policy or the changes being proposed to services or functions?		х
Will the implementation of the policy, or the changes to the policy, result in individuals being employed, a change in staffing levels, or a change in terms and conditions, employer or location, either directly or indirectly?		х
Is there a change in the size of a budget?		
Will a service be withdrawn, changed or expanded?		х
Will the policy have consequences for or affect people?		х
Does the policy have the potential to have an impact on equality even when this only affects a relatively small number of people?		х
Does the policy have the potential to have an impact on the economy and the delivery of economic outcomes?		х
Is the policy likely to have a significant environmental impact?		х

Comments

- The Budget Strategy is strategic with an aim of saving over £1.7million in 2023-24. This level of saving will be achieved through IT efficiencies. This proposal aims to save £10k.
- The budget will be reduced by £10k

Section 3 – - Initial Integrated Impact Assessment

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Which groups of people will be, or potentially could be, impacted upon by the implementation of this policy?	Yes	No	Comments
age		Х	
disability		х	
sex		х	
gender reassignment		х	
marriage and civil partnership		х	
pregnancy and maternity		х	
race		х	
religion or belief		х	



sexual orientation		х		
Do you have evidence or reason to		No	Comments	
believe that this policy will or may				
impact on socio-economic				
inequalities?				
Socio-economic Disadvantage		х		
Low Income/Income Poverty		X		
Low and/or no wealth		х		
Material Deprivation		Х		
Area Deprivation		х		
Socioeconomic Background		х		
Do you have evidence or reason to	Yes	No	Comments	
believe that this policy will or may				
affect individuals Human Rights?				
Human Rights		х		
Do you have evidence or reason to	Yes	No	Comments	
believe that this policy will have wider				
impacts as outlined below?				
Health and Wellbeing		Х		
Economic and Social Sustainability		Х		
Environmental Sustainability, Climate		х		
Change and Energy Management				
The Gaelic Language		Х		
Island Proofing		Х		
Is there the potential for cumulative		х		
impact?				
Section 4 - Decision				
Based on the initial Integrated Impact As	ssessm	ent is	a full IIA required?	
Yes				
Tes				
Full IIA Lead Officer:				
Estimated completion date:				
No No				
If an IIA is deemed not to be required please detail the decision rational below:				
and the second s				
No impacts identified.				



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Section 5 - Lead Officer and authorisin	ng Director		
Lead Officer (print name)	Malcolm Nicol		
Designation	IT Manager		
Date	February 2023		
Print name of Head of Service or	Calum Mackenzie		
Director responsible for the policy	Calulii iviackelizie		
Date	February 2023		

