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PART 5

FURTHER TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS

Implementation Team

- **26.**—(1) Not later than 21 days after the coming into force of this Order, the North Northamptonshire Joint Committee and the West Northamptonshire Joint Committee must form a single team of officers ("the Implementation Team") for the purposes of assisting—
 - (a) the relevant Joint Committee in the discharge of its functions under this Part; and
 - (b) if, after the dissolution of the relevant Joint Committee, the relevant shadow authority so requires, that shadow authority.
- (2) The members of the Implementation Team must comprise officers from the county council, the North Northamptonshire councils and the West Northamptonshire councils.
 - (3) The leader of the Implementation Team is to be the Chief Executive of the county council.
- (4) The deputy leaders of the Implementation Team are to be an officer of one of the North Northamptonshire councils and an officer of one of the West Northamptonshire councils.
- (5) The county council and, as regards the relevant Joint Committee, each of the North Northamptonshire councils or each of the West Northamptonshire councils must—
 - (a) co-operate in the formation of the Implementation Team, and
 - (b) release the officers concerned from their normal duties at such times or for such periods as the relevant Joint Committee or the relevant shadow authority may reasonably require.
 - (6) In this article—
 - "the relevant Joint Committee" means—
 - (a) as regards the North Northamptonshire councils, the North Northamptonshire Joint Committee;
 - (b) as regards the West Northamptonshire councils, the West Northamptonshire Joint Committee;
 - "the relevant shadow authority" means—
 - (a) as regards the North Northamptonshire councils, the shadow authority for North Northamptonshire; and
 - (b) as regards the West Northamptonshire councils, the shadow authority for West Northamptonshire.