



REQUEST	16969	RESPONSE
1. Do you currently use an external provider to manage your Court of Protection, Deputyships, Appointeeships, and if so, what is the provider's name? If not, is the Council looking at outsourcing this area in the next 3-5 years?		1. Not currently, nor is the Council looking to outsource this function
2. What date does the current contract expire (if applicable)?		2. N/A
3. What is the name, email address and phone number of the person and team that manages the Contract/ or potential contract?		3. N/A
4. Which services within the Council or associated partners have an agreement with the provider (if applicable?)		4. N/A
5. What is the annual cost of this contract (if applicable)?		5. N/A
6. Does the Council have a preferred suppliers list for solicitors/companies undertaking Deputyships/Appointeeships where service user is over threshold, if so please supply details?		6. N/A
7. If the Council does have a preferred supplier list please confirm the name, email address and contact number for the person and team that manage this list.		7. N/A
8. How many Deputyships and Corporate Appointeeships does the Council currently manage?		8. We currently have 474 live Appointeeships and 77 Deputyships
9. How many referrals have been made to the Council for Deputyships in the last 3 years?		9. 2022 – 21 2023 – 37 2024 – 39 so far
10. How long on average does it take from initial referral to the application for Deputyship being submitted to the Court of Protection?		10. 4 - 5 months