



Cabinet Social Policy Committee

Minute of Decision

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National Bowel Screening Programme: Extension of Capital Contingency

Portfolio Health

On 8 February 2017, the Cabinet Social Policy Committee:

- 1 **noted** that in April 2016, Cabinet agreed as part of Budget 2016 to allocate capital contingency of s9(2)(f)(iv) for the development of a National Bowel Screening Programme IT solution, subject to Cabinet approval of the Business Case for the preferred option for the long term end to end IT solution [CAB-16-MIN-0189.14];
- 2 **noted** that in August 2016, Cabinet noted that the Minister of Finance and the Minister of Health would jointly approve the IT Business Case [SOC-16-MIN-0108];
- 3 **noted** that the contingency noted in paragraph 1 above expired on 1 February 2017;
- 4 **noted** that an update on the progress of the National Bowel Screening Programme, including a report on next steps for the long term end to end IT solution, will be provided to Cabinet in April 2017;
- 5 **agreed** to extend until 1 February 2018 the contingency established in Budget 2016 for the capital component of the National Bowel Screening Programme.

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