

<b>To:</b>	Legal Services Board	
<b>Date:</b>	07 July 2015	<b>Item:</b> Paper (15) 38

<b>Title:</b>	Consultation under Section 69 of the Legal Services Act 2007 to modify the functions of the Council for Licensed Conveyancers	
<b>Workstream(s):</b>	Performance, evaluation and oversight	
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<b>Status:</b>	Official	

#### **Purpose of paper:**

This paper seeks the Board's agreement to formally close the consultation exercise undertaken in the summer of 2014 on a draft section 69 order to modify the functions of the Council for Licensed Conveyancers (CLC). As this is a response to a consultation, the Board needs to agree to the proposed action.

The draft order consulted on proposed modifications to the powers of the CLC. The required changes have now been included in the Deregulation Act 2015. Consequently there is no need to proceed with a recommendation to the Lord Chancellor in relation to the section 69 order.

Subject to the Board's agreement to closure, the executive recommends that the statement set out in Annex A be published on the website.

#### **Recommendation(s):**

The Board is invited to:

- (1) Agree that the recommendation to the Lord Chancellor in respect of the section 69 order is no longer required.
- (2) Agree to the publication of the statement on the LSB website confirming the Board's decision not to proceed with the recommendation on the order, delegating sign-off of the final document to the Chief Executive.

#### **Risks and mitigations**

**Financial:** None

**Legal:** None

**Reputational:** None

**Resource:** None

<b>Consultation</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Who / why?</b>
<b>Board Members:</b>		√	
<b>Consumer Panel:</b>		√	
<b>Others:</b>			

<b>Freedom of Information Act 2000 (Fol)</b>		
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Annex A	Section 22: information intended for future publication	



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