

Responsibility for Functions

The Local Authorities (Functions and Responsibilities) (England) Regulations 2000 as amended specify which functions are not to be the responsibility of the Cabinet, which may (but need not) be the responsibility of the Cabinet (the 'local choice functions') and which are to some extent the responsibility of the Cabinet. All other functions not so specified are to be the responsibility of the Cabinet. The Cabinet arrangements in the Constitution indicate how the responsibility for all these functions is allocated so that it is clear whether:

they are the responsibility of the Council and/or its Committees; or

they are the responsibility of the Cabinet; or

they are, or are not, the responsibility of the Cabinet to a specified extent.

The tables below provide a means of meeting this requirement. Table 1 covers local choice functions. Table 2 covers functions which are not the responsibility of the Cabinet. Table 3 covers Cabinet responsibilities.