Glossary of definitions;

Authorised Officer Means any officer who by the nature of his or her job, or as directed by a manager, is authorised to place orders.

Code of Practice Means the Council's Code of Practice for Procurement including accompanying guidance.

Contract Means any form of contract, agreement or other arrangement for the supply of goods, services or works.

Executive Member Means a member of the Cabinet

Goods Covers all supplies and materials that the Council purchases or obtains.

Senior Officer Means one of the officers outlined in the table below "Senior Officer Equivalents"

Services Includes all services which the Council purchases or obtains including advice, specialist consultancy work, agency staff, etc.

Works Includes all construction and repairs in respect of physical assets (buildings, roads, etc.).

Table- Senior Officer Equivalents

Ashfield District Council	Bolsover District Council	Chesterfield Borough Council	Mansfield District Council	North East Derbyshire District Council
Chief	Chief Executive	Chief	Chief	Chief
Executive		Executive	Executive	Executive
	Director of	Deputy Chief		Director of
	Resources	Executive		Customers
				and
				Communities
	Director of			Director of
	Neighbourhoods			Finance and
				Assets
	Director of			Director of
	Development			Sustainable
	-			Development
	Solicitor to the Council			