

TONBRIDGE AND MALLING BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF EXECUTIVE NON-KEY DECISION

Decision Taken By: Cabinet Member for Finance, Waste and Technical Services	Decision Number: D260023MEM
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Date: 2 March 2026

Decision(s) and Reason(s)
APPLICATION FOR SECTION 13A 1(C) COUNCIL TAX DISCOUNT
A taxpayer had applied for a S13A 1(C) for a property. They had originally been receiving single person discount, which was removed back into previous financial years as a result of a data match exercise. Given the complicated family circumstances involved, it was very likely that the taxpayer did not realise that they should have informed the Council of the new situation. Following consideration of the policy, the Cabinet Member for Finance, Waste and Technical Services resolved that: (1) The discount to the value of £1,101.00, be awarded to cover the extra Council Tax charged as a result of this amendment.
Reasons for decision: The taxpayer acted in good faith and the complicated family circumstances involved led to the error in notifying the Council.

Signed Cabinet Member for Finance, Waste and Technical Services:	<i>M Coffin</i>
Signed Leader:	<i>M Boughton</i>
Signed Chief Executive:	<i>D Roberts</i>
Date of publication:	4 March 2026

This decision will come into force and may then be implemented on the expiry of 5 working days after publication unless it is called in.