Question: CQ11.05&06

Cabinet – 14th July 2020

Re: Agenda item 11 – City Leap Procurement

Question submitted by: Councillor Geoff Gollop

At the June Cabinet meeting you answered my questions on City Leap by confirming that:-

"Bristol Energy had received £1.2m for innovation services for the City Leap program, on the energy service and a number of energy innovation projects" part of which went to fund the first EY report into Bristol Energy.

You also advised me that "the second EY report into Bristol Energy cost the Local Authority Four Hundred and Forty Thousand Pounds and it was funded from within the Bristol Energy agreed funding envelope." You confirmed that figure by repeating it in answer to my supplementary, but, by the next morning, I had an email correction telling me the figure was significantly less at £145K.

This Cabinet paper shows total procurement costs for City Leap of £6.5m.

- Q.1 How much of that money was or will be paid to EY?
- Q.2 How much has been paid to EY in the current Financial Year?