

THE SHREWSBURY AND TELFORD HOSPITAL NHS TRUST
TRUST BOARD 24 NOVEMBER 2011
STANDING FINANCIAL INSTRUCTIONS – APPROVALS UPDATE

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CORPORATE OBJECTIVE NUMBER(S)	Ensuring a clinically viable and financially sustainable organisation
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY	<p>A full review of the Standing Financial Instructions, Standing Orders and Reservation of Powers to the Board will take place when the Trust has completed the forthcoming review of all its committees, sub-committees and joint committees within the current organisational structure.</p> <p>In the interim, a review of the approval limits within the Standing Financial Instructions has been undertaken.</p>
KEY FACTS	The attached appendix A details the revised approval limits.
RECOMMENDATION	The Trust Board is asked to APPROVE the revised approval limits for publication with the Standing Financial Instructions and Reservation of Powers to the Board.