

### Appendix 3 - 3.10 Memo Summary

Function	Cluster	Description of Contract	Estimated Start date of Contract or Extension	Estimated End date of Contract	Total Estimated Contract Value £	<b>SUMMARY OF EXPLANATION OF WHY THE CONTRACT WAS URGENTLY REQUIRED TO MEET THE EXIGENCES OF THE SERVICE AND THEREFORE JUSTIFYING THE SUSPENSION OF PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, IN WHOLE OR IN PART:</b>
Customer	Early Intervention and Community Empowerment	School Meal Vouchers Food Contract (Additional Expenditure)	12/02/2021	initial end date 31/03/2021 extended to 31/10/2021	£ 141,000	<p>Due to the current COVID-19, Scottish Government has made funding available to the Council to help those most in need during lockdown. This is time limited funding and if not spent then the Council will not be able to use the funds. This additional spend under the School Meal Vouchers Food Contract with Edenred will support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vulnerable children who have a funded early learning &amp; childcare placement through ACC.</li> <li>• Vulnerable service users who are attending the Care Hub</li> <li>• Families/household that have no recourse to public funds.</li> <li>• Families/household that are struggling financially due to COVID-19.</li> </ul>