Appendix 1

Decision	Full Governors	Resources Committee	Headteacher	Deputy Head	Asst. Head	Head of Operations	School Financial Manager	Senior Finance Office	Finance & Lettings Assistant	Budget Holders	Trip Leader
Authorise Staff Appointments	√	*1	√ *7	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Authorise Staff Payroll Forms	n/a	n/a	✓	✓	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Authorise Spend as per Budget	n/a	n/a	√	✓	✓	✓	✓	√	✓ <£2k	√ *2	n/a
Authorise Spend on non-budget items	✓ >£50k	√ £25k - £50k	✓ <£25k*3	n/a	n/a	n/a	✓ *4 <£25k	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Open Tenders	n/a	√	√	n/a	n/a	✓	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Evaluate Tenders	n/a	√ *5	✓	n/a	n/a	✓	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Accept Tenders	n/a	√	√	n/a	n/a	√	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Receive Goods	n/a	n/a	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	√	✓	n/a
Approve a PO to invoice variance	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	✓	✓ <£250	✓ <£250	✓ <£50	n/a
Approve invoices	n/a	n/a	√	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	√	n/a
Sign cheques / BACS payments	n/a	n/a	√ *6	√ *6	n/a	n/a	√ *6	√ *6	n/a	n/a	n/a
Use Finance Office Charge Cards (<£5k split over two cards)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	√	✓	n/a	n/a	n/a
Set limit on Trips Charge Card (maximum of £5k)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	✓	√	n/a	n/a	n/a
Use Trip Charge Card	n/a	n/a	✓	✓	✓	✓	√	✓	n/a	n/a	✓
Approve Bad Debts write off	n/a	n/a >£500	✓ <£500	n/a	n/a	n/a	✓ <£250	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Virements	n/a	✓ >£15k	√ <£15k*3	✓ <£15k*3	n/a	n/a	✓ <£15k *4	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Approve Asset Disposal	n/a	√ >£5k	✓ <£5k *3	✓ <£5k *3	n/a	n/a	✓ <£5k *4	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

*1	Verifies affordability only	*2	Within own approved budget	*3	In conjunction with School Financial Manager
*4	In conjunction with Headteacher	*5	Nominated representative	*6	At least 2 signatures required on all payments