

authority to perform their functions almost immediately after they are employed through the delegation of that duty to the Chief Executive Officer.

Any person appointed as an EHO under section 17 of Act must have at least one of the qualifications and/or experience prescribed by the Chief Health Officer (under section 18) in Government Gazette 22 of 24 January 2017.

Section 30 of the Act specifies that an authorised officer must be issued a certificate of authority card by the local government. It is envisaged that this certificate of authority card would be signed or approved by the delegate of the Council who it is recommended would be the Chief Executive Officer.

The requirements of sections 17 and 30 the Act stated above are included within the proposed delegation as conditions.

Financial Implications:

There are no financial implications associated with this report.

Comments:

This delegation will ensure that EHOs are able to be authorised to perform the various function of their role in a timely manner.