

Exception report for political finance oversight institutions

Purpose

The exception report is to advise your Project Board that the current project plan is forecasted to exceed the tolerance limits set, and to provide an analysis and options for the way forward.

Exception report number		Date raised		
Project affected				
Project manager				
Project sponsor				
Exception situation	Time Cost Cost	Quality 🗌	Scope 🗆	Resources
	[Summary of which aspect(s) of the project is out of tolerance]			
Cause of deviation	[Summary of the situation that led to this deviation]			
Deviation consequences	[Summary of the impact that this deviation will have on the project, its interdependencies and the organisation if it is not addressed]			
Options and resourcing	Options		Risks and ef	fects
	[The various actions which can be employed to correct/minimise the threat of this deviation along with the benefits and associated risks/issues to the organisation, resources, costs, time, etc.]			
Recommendations	[Preferred option and reasons for this decision]			
Recommended revised milestones	[List of the recommended revised actions that will correct the issue or minimise future threats to the project]			
(attach proposed revised plan)				
Lessons learned (also copy to lessons log)	[What can be learned from this exception]			