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To: Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee – 14 May 2010

Subject: Item 7. Committee Topic Discussion.

1. Background

(1) In previous discussions that the Committee has had about different ways to restructure and refocus the Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee, one of the recurring themes has been that the Committee's meetings should be more focused on the outcomes it would like to achieve.

(2) At the meeting on 26 March, Members of the Committee requested an opportunity at each meeting to discuss what they had heard and decide whether the outcomes for each main agenda item had been achieved, or whether there was a need for further information to be requested, and from whom.

2. Recommendations

(a) The Committee is asked to assess whether the outcomes for this meeting have been achieved or if further information on any topic is required by the Committee.