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To: Scrutiny Committee

Subject: Work Programme

Summary: This report gives details of the proposed work programme for the Scrutiny Committee.

1. Introduction

- a) Any Member of the Council is entitled to give notice that they wish an item relevant to the functions of the Committee (which is not an excluded matter) to be included on the agenda for the next available meeting. On receipt of such a request the item will be included for discussion at the next available agenda setting meeting.
- b) The definition of an excluded matter referenced above is:
 - a. Any matter relating to a planning or licensing decision,
 - b. Any matter relating to a person in respect of which that person has a right of recourse to a review of right of appeal conferred by or under any enactment,
 - c. Any matter which is vexatious, discriminatory or not reasonable to be included in the agenda or discussion at a meeting of the Scrutiny Committee.
- c) The Scrutiny Committee has the ability to 'call-in' decisions made by the Cabinet or individual Cabinet Members. Any two Members from more than one Political Group may give notice within five clear working days from the publication of a decision taken of their wish to call-in the decision.
- d) At the meeting held on 16 July 2025 the Committee resolved to request that the routine monitoring of SEND be added to the work programme of the CYPE Cabinet Committee to allow the Scrutiny Committee to focus on the key strategic issues affecting SEND at KCC. The information appended to this report provides up to date background information for Scrutiny Members' awareness.

2. Recommendation

The Scrutiny Committee is asked to consider and note the report.

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