

By: Overview, Scrutiny and Localism Manager

To: Corporate Policy Overview and Scrutiny Committee
13 January 2011

Subject: **SELECT COMMITTEE - UPDATE**

Classification: Unrestricted

Summary: To update the Committee on the current topic review programme and to invite suggestions for future Select Committee topic reviews.

Select Committee Topic Review Work Programme

1. (1) There are currently no Select Committee topic reviews in the work programme which fall under the remit of this Policy Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

(2) The following Select Committees presented their reports to Cabinet on 29 November 2010 and to County Council on 16 December 2010.

- Renewable Energy
- Extended Services

(3) The Select Committee work programme consists of the following:-

- Educational Attainment of Pupils and Schools in Areas of High Deprivation – which is due to start its work shortly.
- Dementia – inaugural meeting on 5 January 2011.
- The Student Journey – due to start its work in Spring 2011.

Suggestions for Select Committee topic reviews

2. At the Scrutiny Board It was agreed that Members would be asked to consider whether there are any topics that they would like to put forward for consideration for inclusion in the future topic review programme. If Members do have any suggestions could they contact the Democratic Services Officer for this POSC.

<p>3. Recommendation Members are asked to note the Select Committee topic review update and to advise the Democratic Services officer of any items that they would like to suggest for inclusion in the Select Committee topic review programme</p>
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