

By: Peter Sass: Head of Democratic Services and Local Leadership

To: Cabinet Scrutiny Committee – 11 January 2011

Subject: Older Person's Modernisation (Cabinet Member Decision)

Background

(1) Members would like more information about the consultation, the movement away from direct provision of services, comparative costs of public and private sector service provision, and specific details around the individual decisions.

(2) The Cabinet report and appendices are attached for Members' information, along with copies of a letter to Members of the Committee and a letter to a KASS officer from the Limes Focus Group. Records of Decision are due to be published on 13 January 2011 and will follow shortly.

Guests

(1) Mr G Gibbens, Cabinet Member, Adult Social Services, Mr O Mills, Managing Director, Kent Adult Social Services, Ms M Howard, Director of Operations and Mr D Weiss, Head of Public Private Partnerships and Property Team have been invited to attend the meeting between 10.15am and 12.15pm to answer Members' questions on this item.

Options for the Cabinet Scrutiny Committee

(1) The Cabinet Scrutiny Committee may:

(a) make no comments

(b) express comments but not require reconsideration of the decision

(c) require implementation of the decision to be postponed pending reconsideration of the matter in the light of the Committee's comments by whoever took the decision or

(d) require implementation of the decision to be postponed pending consideration of the matter by the full Council.

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