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To: Environment & Regeneration Policy Overview Committee  
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**Subject: Allington Incinerator and Waste - progress report**

Classification: Unrestricted

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Summary: This will be given as a verbal item.

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## 1. Introduction

- 1.1 The commissioning of the Allington Energy from Waste Plant has been extended to enable works to be carried out, most recently to make changes to the design and installation of the refractory linings in the burners.
- 1.2 The take over tests have been repeated and the endurance test completed its 600 hours run on 21 October 2008. As a result, at the time of drafting this report it is not yet known if the take-over test has been passed as the plant needs to cool and the post-test inspections carried out over a two-week period.
- 1.3 It is hoped that the outcome will be known and can be reported verbally to this meeting. If the test is satisfactory, the plant will re-start operations and the service commencement date will be reached in a matter of a few weeks, following hand over of the plant to Kent Enviropower Ltd from Lentjes, the constructors. If the test is unsatisfactory, further works will be required and the test will be re-run.

## 2. Recommendations

- 2.1. Members are requested to note the report.

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