

By: Overview, Scrutiny and Localism Manager

To: Environment, Highways and Waste Policy Overview and Scrutiny Committee
22 January 2010

Subject: **SELECT COMMITTEE - UPDATE**

Classification: Unrestricted

Summary: This report updates Members on the progress to establish the Select Committee on Renewable Energy

Select Committee: Renewable Energy

1. (1) At its meeting on 16 October 2009 the Policy Overview Co-ordinating Committee (POCC) agreed to establish a Select Committee on Renewable Energy. This Select Committee falls within the remit of this Policy Overview and Scrutiny Committee (POSC).

(2) The Membership of the Select Committee is as follows; Mr Keith Ferrin, (Chairman Elect), Mr Richard King, Mr Charles Hibberd, Mr Chris Smith, Mrs Elizabeth Tweed, Mrs Paulina Stockell, Mr David Hirst and Mr Tim Prater.

(3) It has been agreed that Ms Sue Frampton, the Research Officer supporting the review would start preparatory work on developing the terms of reference and scope for this review. The Select Committee will start its work in January 2010 and submit its report to County Council on 14 October 2010.

(4) Regular update reports will be submitted to this POSC to keep Members informed of the progress of this Select Committee.

Recommendation

2. Members are asked to note the update report.

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Background Information: *Nil*