

SCRUTINY COMMITTEE FOR SOCIAL SERVICES AND HEALTH

MEETING WEDNESDAY 27 MARCH 2002

10:30 am PELHAM HOUSE, ST ANDREWS'S LANE, LEWES

MEMBERSHIP - Councillor Webb (Chairman)
Councillors Chartier, Garvican, Mrs Leigh,
Lock, McPherson (Vice-Chairman) and Whetstone

A G E N D A

1. Minutes of last meeting held on 21 February 2002 (page 1)
2. Apologies for Absence
3. Disclosure by members of pecuniary or personal interests in matters on the agenda
4. Notification of matters which the Chairman considers to be urgent and proposes to take at the end of the agenda. Any members who wish to raise urgent items are asked, where ever possible, to notify the Chairman before the start of the meeting. In so doing, they must state the special circumstances which they consider justify the matter being considered urgent
5. Promotion of Key Priority Areas – Director of Social Services to report on progress in meeting targets in the balanced performance management tables. The Quarterly Monitoring Reports for the period October to December 2001 are attached for information at page 3
6. The Forward Plan: 1 April to 31 July 2002 – The Forward Plan and covering report by Director of Legal and Community Services is attached at page 16
7. Review of Grant Process (Community Partnership Finance (CPF), Carer's Grant and Promoting Independence Grant (PIG) : a Review of the Process – a report by Director of Social Services is attached at page 27

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8. Final year monitoring reports on the action plans arising from Best Value and Scrutiny Reviews already completed:-
 - (a) Best Value Review of Home Care Services – a report by Director of Social Services is attached at page 37
 - (b) Best Value Review of Services for Physical Disabilities and Sensory Impairment – a report by Director of Social Services is attached at page 39
 - (c) Best Value Review of Adoption Services – a report by Director of Social Services is attached at page 51
 - (d) Best Value Review of Services for Disabled Children – a report by Director of Social Services is attached at page 56
 - (e) Scrutiny Review of Relationships with other Agencies – a report by Director of Social Services is attached at page 65
9. Update: Scrutiny Review of Eligibility Criteria, Budgetary Control of the Community Care Fund - an oral report from Director of Social Services
10. Winter Pressures – an oral report from Director of Social Services