

Committee: **Scrutiny Committee for Social Services and Health**

Date: 17 March 2004

Title: Meeting of the Scrutiny Committee for Social Services and Health held at 10.00 am at County Hall, St Annes Crescent, Lewes, East Sussex

Subject: Agenda

Membership: Garvican Lock McPherson Neighbour Tunwell Webb Whetstone

AGENDA

1. Minutes of meeting held on 5 December 2003 (page 1)
2. Apologies for absence
3. Disclosure by members of personal interests in matters on the agenda, the nature of any interest and whether the member regards the interest as prejudicial under the terms of the Code of Conduct
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, wherever 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. Location of Residential Homes – Director of Social Services to report orally on progress
6. Relocation of Residents as result of Homes Review – report by Director of Social Services (page 5)
7. Castleham Industries – report by Director of Social Services (page 7)
8. Older People's Services: User and Carer Involvement in Services – Final report of Scrutiny Project Board (page 9)
9. Best Value Review of Children in Public Care : Final Monitoring Report – joint report by the Director of Social Services and Director of Education and Libraries (page 23)

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10. Scrutiny Review of Mental Health Act 1983, Assessment Process : Six Monthly Monitoring Report – report by Director of Social Services (page 33)
11. Establishment of a Review Board to scrutinise departmental performance in selected BVPIs – report by Director of Law and Performance Management (page 45)
12. Programme of Scrutiny Activities for 2004 – report by Director of Law and Performance Management (page 53)
13. Scrutiny Committee Visit to Social Services Establishments – to consider dates
14. Council Plan 2003-04 Monitoring : Quarter Three – report by Director of Law and Performance Management (page 55)
15. Forward Plan
The Forward Plan for the period 23 March 2004 to 30 June 2004 is attached at page 59. The Committee is invited to comment on items in the Plan or request further information
16. Any urgent items previously notified under agenda item 4.