

## **CORPORATE PARENTING PANEL**

### **MEETING, FRIDAY 27 JANUARY 2012**

#### **10.00am, COMMITTEE ROOM, COUNTY HALL, LEWES**

**MEMBERSHIP** Councillors Hughes, O’Keeffe, Ost, Pragnell, St Pierre, Stroude (Chairman) and Waite.

### **A G E N D A**

1. Minutes of last meeting held on 21 October 2011 (page 1)
2. Apologies for Absence.
3. Disclosure by all members present 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 items which the Chairman considers to be urgent and proposes to take at the end of the appropriate part 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 urgently.
5. Children in Care Council – representatives from the Children in Care Council are to be invited to address the Panel
6. Annual Progress Report of LAC Services 1 April 2010 – 31 March 2011 - report by the Director of Children’s Services (page 5)
7. Update from the Independent Reviewing Officer service – report by the Director of Children’s Services (page 23)
8. Looked After Children (LAC) Statistics – report by the Director of Children’s Services (page 27)
9. Any other non-exempt items considered urgent by the Chairman
10. To consider excluding the public and press from the meeting for the remaining business on the grounds that if the public and press were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information as specified in Category 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended), namely information relating to any individual.

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11. Ofsted Inspection reports for the following:
  - (i) The Fostering Service (page 31)
  - (ii) Acorns at Dorset Road (page 43)
  - (iii) Hazel Lodge (page 57)
  - (iv) The Bungalow, Sorrel Drive (page 69)
  
12. Children's Home Regulations 1991, Regulation 33: Inspection reports for August 2011 and September 2011 for the following children's homes:
  - (i) Acorns at Dorset Road (page 79)
  - (ii) Brodrick House (page 99)
  - (iii) Hazel Lodge (page 115)
  - (iv) Homefield Cottage (page 131)
  - (v) Lansdowne Secure Unit (page 147)
  - (vi) Rose Cottage (page 167)
  - (vii) The Bungalow, Sorrel Drive (page 183)
  
13. Any other exempt items considered urgent by the Chairman