Report to: Corporate Parenting Panel

Date of meeting: Friday 8 July 2016

By: Director of Children's Services

Title: Independent Reviewing Officer (IRO) Annual Report 2015/16

Purpose: To update the Corporate Parenting Panel on the contribution of

Independent Reviewing Officers to Quality Assuring and Improving

Services for Looked After Children

RECOMMENDATIONS: The Corporate Parenting Panel is recommended to note the contents of the report

1 Background

1.1 This Annual IRO report provides quantitative and qualitative evidence relating to the IRO Services in East Sussex as required by statutory guidance.

2 Supporting information

2.1 The report is attached as appendix 1.

3. Recommendations

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Appendices

Appendix 1 – Annual Independent Reviewing Officer Report

BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

None