



Meeting: CHILDREN & FAMILIES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Date: Tuesday, 12th February 2008

Time: 7.30 pm

Venue: Committee Rooms 1 & 2, 2nd Floor, Brent Town Hall, Forty Lane, Wembley, HA9 9HD

AGENDA

Membership:

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Mr Lorenzato
Mr Akisanya

OBSERVERS: *Mr Vaughan*
Mrs L Gouldbourne
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Introductions, if appropriate.
Apologies for absence and clarification of alternate members

1. **Declarations of Personal and Prejudicial Interests (if any)**

Members are invited to declare at this stage of the meeting, any relevant financial or other interest in the items on this agenda.

p.1 2. **Minutes of the Previous Meeting**

The minutes of the last meeting on Wednesday 11th December 2007 are attached.

3. **Matters Arising**

p.13 4. **Youth Offending**

This report outlines the work of the Youth Offending Service (YOS) including the statistical profile of young offenders, information on the programmes of work undertaken with them and YOS prevention programmes for those at risk of offending.

Members are asked to consider establishing a Task Group to explore these issues in depth.

p.25 5. **Review of School Funding Formula**

This report sets out details of the Schools Budget (SB) and the proposed changes to the Fair Funding Formula for Brent schools in respect of factors relating to Additional Educational Need (AEN) and the delegation of the budget for Threshold and Performance Pay for the three year period 2008/09 to 2010 /11.

Members are asked to note and comment on the recommendations contained in the report.

Appendices 1, 2, 3 (inc. annex to appendix 3), 4, 5 & 6 are attached for information

p.61 6. **14-19 Development Report**

The Education and Inspections Act 2006 gave local authorities a new strategic role. Brent now has a duty to promote choice, diversity, high standards and the fulfilment of potential for every child. Central to meeting this duty is a 14-19 partnership that ensures the successful implementation of the government's 14-19 reforms. Actions to implement these reforms are part of the 14-19 plan.



This report provides members with further detail regarding Brent's involvement in the 14-19 partnership.

p.67 7. **Integrated Services**

This report provides an update on progress and summarises key achievements in the Kingsbury and Stonebridge Integrated Services Programme since the report was presented to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 1st March 2007.

Members are invited to note the progress to date.

8. **Date of Next Meeting**

The next meeting of the Children and Families Overview and Scrutiny Committee will be held on Wednesday 23rd April 2008.

9. **Any Other Urgent Business**

Notice of items to be raised under this heading must be given in writing to the Democratic Services Manager or his representative before the meeting in accordance with Standing Order No 65.



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