

Meeting: OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Date: Tuesday, 17th April 2007

Time: **7.30pm**

Venue: Council Chamber, 2nd Floor, Brent Town Hall, Forty Lane, Wembley, HA9 9HD

AGENDA Membership:

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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 previous meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 8th February 2007

3. Matters Arising

4. Appointments to Sub Committee (if any)

None.

5. **Deputations (if any)**

None.

p.9 6. Report from the Director of Housing and Community Care

Community Care Annual Report on Complaints

The annual report for 2005/06 on complaints about Community Care Services is attached.

The report provides information about the context and operation of the complaints procedure, the number and type of complaints made during the year and how these were dealt with. It should be noted that the number of complaints received is not an indicator of performance.

p.23 7. Report from the Director of Policy and Regeneration

tPCT Turnaround Plan Task Group referral to Overview & Scrutiny

The tPCT task group was established in December 2006 by the Health Select Committee to examine the impact of the Turnaround Plan presented to the Board of Brent tPCT in November 2006.

8. Tourism Task Group

Councillor Dunwell will provide a verbal update on the work of the task group.

9. Voluntary Sector Funding Task Group

Councillor Mistry will provide a verbal update on the work of the task group.



p.65 10. Report form the Director of Communication and Consultation

Area and Service User Forums and Consultations Update

This report outlines key issues and trends across area and service user consultative forums, which took place during the third meetings cycle of 2006-07.

p.75 11. Report from the Director of Policy and Regeneration

Suggested Topics for Overview and Scrutiny Task Groups

This report sets out suggested topics for overview and scrutiny task groups.

12. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee will be confirmed at the Annual meeting of Full Council in May 2007.

13. Any Other Urgent Business

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