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OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

28 November 2016

BRIEFING NOTE:

SCRUTINY PANEL 3 – HOMELESSNESS (PRE-DECISION SCRUTINY)

1 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 Since the last meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee, the Scrutiny Panel has continued with its evidence gathering.

2 UPDATE

- 2.1 At the meeting of the Scrutiny Panel scheduled for 24 November 2016, the Scrutiny Panel will hear from a number of key expert advisors and receive various briefing notes regarding background reports and the findings of the desktop research exercise.
- 2.2 Further evidence gathering meetings are scheduled with the next being set for 5 January 2017.
- 2.3 The Chair of the Scrutiny Panel will provide progress reports to each meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee.
- 2.4 It is envisaged that this Scrutiny review will conclude in March 2017, with the report of the Scrutiny Panel presented to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee at its meeting scheduled for 8 May 2017.

3 RECOMMENDATION

- 3.1 That the update is noted.