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## NOTICE OF MEETING

### CHILDREN'S SERVICES OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Date & Time

**Tuesday, 18 October 2011 10.00 a.m.**

Venue at

**Room 15, Priory House, Monks Walk, Shefford**

Richard Carr  
**Chief Executive**

To: The Chairman and Members of the CHILDREN'S SERVICES OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE:

Cllrs Mrs D B Gurney (Chairman), N B Costin (Vice-Chairman), P N Aldis, D Bowater, Mrs S Clark, A L Dodwell, P Hollick, K Janes, I A MacKilligan and R B Pepworth

[Named Substitutes:

P A Duckett, Mrs S A Goodchild, Ms C Maudlin, A Shadbolt and N J Sheppard]

Co-optees: Mrs Beattie (Parent Governor), Ms Copley (Parent Governor), Ms Image (Roman Catholic Diocese), Mr Landman (Parent Governor) and Mr Reynolds (Church of England Diocese)

All other Members of the Council - on request

**MEMBERS OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THIS MEETING**

# AGENDA

1. **Apologies for Absence**

Apologies for absence and notification of substitute members

2. **Minutes**

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Children's Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee held on 6 September 2011 and to note actions taken since that meeting.

3. **Members' Interests**

To receive from Members any declarations and the nature thereof in relation to:-

- (a) personal interests in any agenda item
- (b) personal and prejudicial interests in any agenda item
- (c) any political whip in relation to any agenda item.

4. **Chairman's Announcements and Communications**

To receive any announcements from the Chairman and any matters of communication.

5. **Petitions**

To receive petitions from members of the public in accordance with the Public Participation Procedure as set out in Annex 2 of Part A4 of the Constitution.

6. **Questions, Statements or Deputations**

To receive any questions, statements or deputations from members of the public in accordance with the Public Participation Procedure as set out in Annex 1 of part A4 of the Constitution.

7. **Call-In**

To consider any decision of the Executive referred to this Committee for review in accordance with Procedure Rule 10.10 of Part D2.

8. **Requested Items**

To consider any items referred to the Committee at the request of a Member under Procedure Rule 3.1 of Part D2 of the Constitution.

## Reports

<b>Item</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Page Nos.</b>
9	<b>Base Budget Review</b>  To consider the Children's Services base budget review for 2012/13.	* To Follow
10	<b>Quarter 1 Performance Monitoring</b>  To consider performance monitoring information for the first quarter of 2011/12.	* 13 - 18
11	<b>School Organisation Plan</b>  To receive a presentation on the School Organisation Plan.	*
12	<b>Work Programme 2011 - 2012 &amp; Executive Forward Plan</b>  The report provides Members with details of the currently drafted Committee work programme and the latest Executive Forward Plan.	* 19 - 40