Meeting: Executive

Date: Date of Executive meeting

Subject: Private Sector Housing Renewal Policy

Response of the Social Care health and Housing Overview and Scrutiny Committee 4 February 2010

1. Overview and Scrutiny Committee recommend that Executive adopt the proposed policy

2. The Committee recommends that officers review the payment of smaller types of assistance (up to £2,500). The current approach allows for those in receipt of this assistance not to have any repayment conditions. In light of the financial climate the Council is currently facing, Members have requested that officers actively review the impact to the Council of the current approach for smaller types of assistance. Members expressed the need to include a clause to state that the Council will consider reclaiming such monies and suggested this should be included within a specific policy refresh after 6 months of the policy being adopted.