

A1 SUMMARY

3. Overview and Scrutiny

- 3.1 There are four themed overview and scrutiny committees that support the work of the Executive and the Council as a whole. They submit reports and recommendations which advise the Executive and the Council as a whole on its policies, budget and service delivery. Overview and scrutiny committees also monitor and scrutinise the decisions of the Executive, including powers to 'call-in' a decision which has been made by the Executive but not yet implemented. This enables them to consider whether the decision is appropriate. They may recommend that the Executive reconsider the decision. They may also be consulted by the Executive or the Council on forthcoming decisions and the development of policy.
- 3.2 The Council's overview and scrutiny arrangements are described in Part D1 of the constitution.