

## Children & Education Select Committee – 10 July 2014 Recommendation Tracker & Forward Work Programme

- 1. The Committee is asked to review its Recommendation Tracker (attached as **annex 1**) and provide comment as necessary.
- 2. Members are asked to note that items for the September meeting include:
  - a. Children with Special Educational Needs and the Children & Families Act 2014
  - b. Special Educational Needs (SEN) and the Education, Health and Care (EHC) plan
  - c. Joint Strategic Review of Short Breaks for Children with Disabilities
- 3. These items had been scheduled as part of the 2013/14 work programme, with timing dependent on royal assent for the Children & Families Act 2014, and the publication of related guidance.
- 4. The new SEN legislation set out in the Act will come into effect from September 2014, and the Committee will scrutinise how the new code of practice will be implemented in Surrey.
- 5. The Forward Work Programme for 2014/15 is in the process of being developed, following the Forward Work Programme workshop held with Members on 14 May 2014. Feedback from this workshop has already been circulated to the Committee, and a set of proposals will be brought to the meeting on 18 September 2014.
- 6. A proposal concerning the formation of a School Governance Task Group is attached as **annex 2**. Members of the Committee are invited to consider the proposal, and indicate expressions of interest.

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