

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND HOUSING COMMITTEE

AGENDA

Date: Wednesday 22 May 2002

Time: 2.00pm to 5.00pm

Venue: Committee Room 2, National Assembly Building

Item 1: **Apologies and substitutions**

Item 2: **Declaration of interests**

Item 3: **Minister's report (40 minutes)**

Purpose: To receive a report from the Minister

Paper: LGH-09-02 (p.1)

Item 4: **Crime and Reduction Partnerships (45 minutes)**

Purpose: To receive a report on crime reduction initiatives and their links to social inclusion

Paper; LGH-09-02 (p.2)

In attendance: David A'Herne - Crime Reduction Unit
Mark Lewis - Crime Reduction Unit

The committee will adjourn for 15 minutes from 3.25pm to 3.40pm

Item 5: Presentation from Syniad on the training available to local authority members and officers in the context of new political management structures (30 minutes)

Purpose: To hear the views of Syniad on the training available following the new political management structures

In attendance: Colin Everett

Item 6: Consideration of PSS data for SSA formula for 2003-04 (30 minutes)

Purpose: To consider personal social services data for standing spending assessment formula for 2003-04

Paper: LGH-09-02 (p.3)

In attendance: Rob Hay - Statistical Directorate
Jonathan Rae - Statistical Directorate

Item 7: Policy review of community regeneration - consideration of draft recommendations (20 minutes)

Paper: LGH -09-02 (p.4)

Purpose: To inform the Committee of the emerging issues of the policy review and to seek its views on the draft recommendations

In attendance: Professor Dave Adamson

Item 8: Minutes of the 8 May meeting

Purpose: To consider the minutes of the meeting held on 8 May

Paper: LGH-08-02 (min)