

Education & Home Affairs Scrutiny Panel

PUBLIC MEETING

Record of Meeting

Date: 12th November 2007

Meeting 48

Present	Deputy D.W. Mezbourian, Chairman Deputy J. Gallichan, Vice-Chairman Deputy S. Pitman
Apologies	
Absent	
In attendance	Mr. W. Millow, Scrutiny Officer Mr. T. Oldham, Scrutiny Officer

Ref Back	Agenda matter	Action
	<p>1. Records of Meetings The Panel approved and signed the record of its meeting of 29th October 2007. It deferred consideration of the record of its briefing on Event-Led Tourism from Mrs. D. Le Marrec, Tourism Development Manager, Economic Development, on the same date.</p>	
[29/10/07, Item 2]	<p>2. Policing of Events – User Pays The Panel requested an update on the outstanding requests for submissions.</p> <p>The Panel discussed its next meeting date to consider the progress of the review. It agreed to submit comments and questions relating to the transcripts of its Public Hearings prior to a meeting on 23rd November 2007.</p> <p>The Panel received confirmation that the submission received from the States of Jersey Police was not a Public document.</p>	WM
[29/10/07, Item 3]	<p>3. Early Years The Panel requested an update on the outstanding requests for submissions.</p> <p>It discussed the progress of current and pending actions and requested an updated <i>Actions and Issues</i> paper to be prepared.</p> <p>The Panel discussed <i>The Mental Health Resource Directory</i> and requested that a copy should be forwarded to Dr Hamer.</p>	TO TO TO
[25/06/07, Item 6]	<p>4. Code of Practice The Panel considered the draft Code of Practice and identified comments to be forwarded to the Chairmen's Committee.</p>	TO
[19/02/07, Item 14d]	<p>5. HMP La Moye The Panel noted receipt of correspondence regarding the Prison Board of Visitors from Mr R. Pittman. The Panel agreed that the matter may be considered as a possible review topic for 2008 when planning its work</p>	TO

	programme in the New Year, and to write to Mr. R. Pittman informing him of its intention.	
[29/10/07, Item 7]	6. Disorderly Conduct and Harassment The Panel deferred its consideration of the draft law.	
[08/10/07, Item 3]	7. Bullying The Panel noted receipt of correspondence from the Chief Minister in response to its letter sent on 23rd October 2007.	
[29/10/07, Item 4] [08/10/07, Item 12]	8. Action Updates and Matters Arising The Panel noted the actions undertaken in response to requests made at its previous meetings with particular reference to the following: AU4: The Panel was advised that questions to employers in relation to the Early Years review would be sent to the Economic Development Department for assistance in distribution that week. The Panel was informed that the Chairman had emailed the Attorney General regarding the publication of his response to the Panel's report into the rôle of the Centenier in the Magistrate's Court. It was further informed that positive feedback had been received by the Vice-Chairman regarding the Scrutiny Newsletter that had recently been publicly distributed.	TO
	11. Forthcoming Propositions The Panel agreed it would not seek to undertake a review of the following propositions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Criminal Justice Policy - audit of the need for a prosecution service (P.161/2007)</i> Deputy F.J. Hill BEM, Date of Debate: 20th November 2007 • <i>Criminal Justice Policy (P.118/2007): Amendment (P.118Amd/2007)</i> Deputy F.J. Hill BEM, Date of Debate: 20th November 2007 The Panel agreed, however, to contact the Minister for Home Affairs and the Attorney General requesting information on their responses to the propositions, in order to inform any further actions that it may undertake on the matter.	WM
	12. Ministerial Decisions The Panel noted that the following decision had been made by the Minister for Education, Sport and Culture: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Budget Transfer: d'Auvergne School (MD-ESC-2007-0035)</i> 	
	13. Questions to Ministers The Panel noted that the Minister for Education, Sport and Culture and	

	Minister for Planning and Environment would answer questions without notice at the States sitting of 20th November 2007.	
	<p>14. Future Meetings The Panel noted that it would next meet on 13th November 2007 for Public Hearings in relation to the Policing of Events – User Pays review. It was also noted that the Panel’s next scheduled meeting was due to occur on 26th November 2007.</p>	

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Chairman
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