

Education & Home Affairs Scrutiny Panel

PUBLIC MEETING

Record of Meeting

Date: 29th August 2007
Meeting 37

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

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[26/07/07, Item 1]	<p>1. Rôle of the Centenier in the Magistrate's Court</p> <p>The Panel considered progress on its Scrutiny Review of the rôle of the Centenier in the Magistrate's Court. This part of the meeting was held in private session under Item 3.2.1(a) (xiv) of <i>Code of Practice on Public Access to Official Information</i>.</p>	
[26/07/07, Item 2]	<p>2. Early Years</p> <p>The Panel received an update on progress that had been made in identifying suitable interview dates with candidates for the position of the Panel's expert adviser. The Panel agreed that candidates would be invited to interview on Friday 14th September 2007 and that preparatory work for the interviews should begin. It was noted that the Scrutiny Officer would follow up this matter.</p> <p>The Panel noted <i>Annual Business Plan 2008 (P.93/2007): Amendment</i>, lodged by the Minister for Education, Sport and Culture on 1st August 2007 and <i>Annual Business Plan 2008 (P.93/2007): Amendment (P.93/2007 AMD.) - Amendment</i>, lodged by the Minister for Treasury and Resources on 24th August 2007. The Panel agreed that it would not take part in the debate on the Amendments scheduled for 18th September 2007 and would abstain from voting. The Panel agreed to write to the Minister informing him of its decision.</p>	TO
[30/04/07, Item 2]	<p>The Panel recalled that at its meeting on 30th April 2007 the Comptroller and Auditor General had informed it about work that he was undertaking in relation to Nursery Education. The Panel requested the Officer to contact the Comptroller and Auditor General to establish the current position.</p> <p>The Panel noted the possibility of inviting the Comptroller and Auditor General to discuss this and his other relevant work, such as that undertaken in 2006 on the Jersey Child Care Trust, during the course of its review.</p>	TO

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Chairman
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