

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE CHIEF MINISTER
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ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 19th JANUARY 2016**

Question

Further to the briefing given by the Safeguarding Board in relation to its report entitled 'Thematic Serious Case Review of Child Sexual Abuse October 2015' which contained 31 recommendations relating to interagency work and the avoidance of repetitive single agency plans to 'form a platform of good practice upon which further improvements can flow', can the Minister give Members a written update on each of the 31 recommendations clearly outlining progress made and, in instances where progress has not been made, the reasons why, who was involved in the decision not to implement the recommendation and when that decision was made?

Answer

The Safeguarding Partnership Board (SPB) monitors the delivery of all recommendations made as a result of Serious Case Reviews (SCR), including target time-frames for completion and lead agencies, through its SCR sub group. The Children and Vulnerable Adults Policy Group works in partnership with the SPB to oversee and monitor the delivery of any recommendations.

The progress made on implementing all the 31 recommendations made in the Child Sexual Abuse Thematic review will be provided to States Members at the next States Sitting on the 2nd February, 2016.