Economic Affairs Scrutiny Panel

Rural Economy Strategy Sub-Panel

PUBLIC SESSION

Record of Meeting

Date: 8th February 2010 Meeting Number: 1

| Present | Deputy C.F. Labey, Sub-Panel Chairman Deputy R. G. Le Hérissier, Sub-Panel Vice-Chairman Deputy D.J.A. Wimberley | |
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| Apologies | | |
| Absent | | |
| In attendance | Mr D Scott, Scrutiny Officer, contracted appointment Mr T Oldham, Scrutiny Officer | |

| Ref Back | Agenda matter | Action |
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| | 1) Appointment of Sub-Panel Chairman Vice-Chairman: | |
| 515/18(8) | The Sub-Panel noted the provisions of Paragraph 4.18 of Code of Practice for Scrutiny Panels and the Public Accounts Committee that Sub-Panels appoint their own Chairman, who would be a Member of the main Panel. The Sub-Panel appointed Deputy Labey as the Chairman and Deputy Le Hérissier as the Vice-Chairman for this review. | |
| | 2) Scoping Document: | |
| 515/18(5) | The Sub-Panel considered the nature of its review and areas that would merit examination. The Sub-Panel requested the Scrutiny Officer to draft and circulate a Scoping Document. The Panel agreed to circulate areas for potential research of background information. | DS Panel |
| | The Panel noted the excellent work done by the Scrutiny Review of Benefit Levels in terms of media management and public engagement facilitated by the deployment of a range of new media tools. The Panel agreed to consider this approach in the development of its media strategy. | DS |
| | 3) Terms of Reference: | |
| 515/18(8) | The Sub-Panel considered the course of its review of the proposed Rural Economy Strategy and the lines of enquiry it should follow. The Sub-Panel agreed it would draft Terms of Reference for consideration at its next meeting. | DS |
| | 4) Expert Adviser: | |

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| 515/18(8) | The Sub-Panel agreed it would undertake research to identify potential advisers for its Review. | DS |
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| | 5) Future meetings: | |
| | It was agreed the Sub-Panel would meet at 10:30am on 26 th February 2010 in Le Capelain Room, States Building. | |

Signed. Signed. Chairman, Rural Economy Strategy Sub-Panel

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