

Economic Affairs
Sub-Panel (Dairy Review)

Meeting No. 2

25th August 2006

Committee Room, Jersey Dairy

Present Deputy A. Breckon, Chairman
Deputy A. Pryke, Vice-Chairman
Deputy S. Fergusson
Deputy R. Le Hérissier
Deputy K. C. Lewis

Apologies

Absent

In attendance Nathan Fox, Scrutiny Officer

Ref Back	Agenda matter	Action
1.	<p>The Panel discussed the implications of the recent site visits upon the review and the work programme and future actions of the sub-Panel.</p> <p>It was agreed that the officers should obtain a list of stakeholders that Promar intended to contact, and ascertain which of these had been contacted already.</p> <p>The Panel also expressed an interest in making a further site visit to a small farm, to gather further information.</p> <p>Officers were directed to pass the terms of reference to all dairy farmers.</p>	<p>NJF</p> <p>NJF</p> <p>NJF</p>
2.	<p>The Panel amended a revised draft 'call for evidence', and decided that the terms of reference should not be included in full as this would produce an unappealing advert that would not be effective. A short series of questions was recommended for the sake of brevity and clarity.</p> <p>The call for evidence was to be inserted in the Jersey Evening Post as a quarter-page advert on Friday 1st and Friday 8th September.</p> <p>The Panel delegated authority to the Chairman to approve the revised call for evidence.</p>	<p>NJF</p> <p>NJF</p> <p>AB</p>
3.	<p>The Panel received additional documents and a revised index for member's information files.</p>	
4.	<p>The Panel received information from the Director, Jersey Agriculture, in respect of the future plans of Promar. It noted that Promar would be visiting the island on 4th and 5th of September.</p> <p>The Panel accordingly directed officers to arrange a meeting with Promar at 2.00pm on Tuesday 5th September.</p>	<p>NJF</p>
5.	<p>The Panel further directed officers to-</p>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prepare a bullet point breakdown of the information received so far, by term of reference • Obtain what information was available through the Agriculture Section on the running cost of dairy farms • Seek comments on payments for the planting of second crops • Produce a timeline detailing the progress of the relocation scheme. 	<p>NJF</p> <p>NJF</p> <p>NJF</p> <p>NJF</p>
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Chairman Deputy A. Breckon
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