Education & Home Affairs Scrutiny Panel

PUBLIC MEETING

Record of Meeting

Date: 12th May 2008 Meeting 73

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

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	 1. Records of Meetings The Panel approved and signed the records of its meetings held on the following dates: 10th March 2008, Item 12b [Private Session] 31st March 2008 14th April 2008 18th April 2008 21st April 2008 23rd April 2008 28th April 2008 30th April 2008 	
[28/04/08, Item 2]	2. Customs and Immigration The Panel received an oral update on the progress of its review. The Panel agreed that confirmation would be sought about the procedures by which Departmental officers wishing to contribute to reviews should engage with Scrutiny Panels.	то
[28/04/08, Item 3]	 3. Social Inclusion – Mont-à-l'Abbé The Panel considered and approved the Scoping Document, Terms of Reference and Advisor Engagement Brief for its review, although it agreed that future consideration would be required of any comments that the Chairman may have on those matters. The Panel agreed that the Minister should be advised about the Terms of Reference and that work should continue on securing the appointment of an advisor. 	WM
[28/04/08, Item 7]	 4. Marriage and Civil Status The Panel noted the draft Question Plan for its Public Hearing with the Minister for Home Affairs, to be held at 2pm on Friday 16th May 2008. It agreed to feedback to the officers with any further questions or comments ahead of the Hearing. The Panel was advised that Dr Moran had indicated that she would be making a written submission to the Panel's review.	
	5. Panel Budget The Panel noted its budget reports for the first and second quarters of	

2008.	
 6. Action Updates and Matters Arising The Panel noted the Action Updates and asked the officer to request a response from the Chief Minister to previous correspondence about the Social Policy Framework. The Panel noted receipt of the briefing notes of the Chairmen's Committee meeting of 28th March 2008. 	то
 7. Ministerial Decisions The Panel noted that no decisions had been made by the Minister for Education, Sport and Culture between 23rd April 2008 and 6th May 2008. The Panel noted that the following decisions had been made by the Minister for Home Affairs: Prison Board of Visitors - Annual Report 2007 (MD-HA-2008-0022) Response to the Education and Home Affairs Scrutiny Panel's report - Policing of Events : User Pays? (MD-HA-2008-0025) 	
 8. Questions to Ministers The Panel noted that the Minister for Treasury and Resources and the Chief Minister would answer questions without notice at the States sitting on 13th May 2008. 9. Future Meetings	
The Panel noted that its next scheduled meeting would occur at 9:30am on 2nd June 2008.	

Signed

Date:

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Chairman Education & Home Affairs Panel