Agenda Item 5



Policy and Scrutiny

Report on behalf of Pete Moore, Executive Director for Finance and Public Protection

Report to: Community and Public Safety Scrutiny Committee

Date: **13 January 2016**

Subject: Bespoke Business Advice provided by Trading

Standards on a chargeable basis

Summary:

This report invites the Community and Public Safety Scrutiny Committee to consider a report on the Bespoke Business Advice provided by Trading Standards on a chargeable basis which is due to be considered by the Executive Councillor for Fire and Rescue, Emergency Planning, Trading Standards, Equality and Diversity on 2 February 2016. The views of the Scrutiny Committee will be reported to the Executive Councillor as part of his consideration of this item.

Actions Required:

- (1) To consider the attached report and to determine whether the Committee supports the recommendation(s) to the Executive Councillor as set out in the report.
- (2) To agree any additional comments to be passed to the Executive Councillor in relation to this item.

1. Background

The Executive Councillor for Fire and Rescue, Emergency Planning, Trading Standards, Equality and Diversity is due to consider a report on the Bespoke Business Advice provided by Trading Standards on a chargeable basis. The full report to the Executive Councillor is attached at Appendix 1 to this report.

2. Conclusion

Following consideration of the attached report, the Committee is requested to consider whether it supports the recommendation(s) in the report and whether it wishes to make any additional comments to the Executive Councillor. The Committee's views will be reported to the Executive Councillor.

3. Consultation

a) Policy Proofing Actions Required Not applicable

4. Appendices

These are listed below and attached at the back of the report	
Appendix 1	Report to Executive Councillor for Fire and Rescue,
	Emergency Planning, Trading Standards, Equality and
	Diversity on Bespoke Business Advice provided by Trading
	Standards on a chargeable basis

5. Background Papers

No background papers within Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972 were used in the preparation of this report.

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