# 2009/10 WORK PROGRAMME: DRAFT SCOPING REPORTS AND DISCUSSIONS

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#### **REASON FOR ITEM**

To enable the Committee to consider 2 draft scoping reports and select them as potential review topics for 2009/10.

#### **INFORMATION**

At the Committee meeting on the 8<sup>th</sup> October 2009, Members discussed potential review topics for 2009/10 and requested officers to prepare draft scoping reports on the following potential areas for review:

- 1. Planning Enforcement (Homes in back gardens) (Appendix A)
- 2. Counterfeit Cosmetics and Illegally Imported Foods (Appendix B)

The draft scoping reports are attached for Members' consideration as **appendices A-B**. It is usual for a Policy Overview Committee to take forward one review topic at a time; however, Members have indicated that they wished to consider two review topics simultaneously.

#### SUGGESTED COMMITTEE ACTIVITY

- 1. To consider the draft scoping reports and ask any further question from officers;
- 2. To agree whether to undertake the two scoping reports as minor reviews in 2009/10;
- 3. To agree the terms of reference for the two minor reviews selected;
- 4. To agree the order in which they will undertake the reviews, i.e. which one will be the first minor review:
- 5. Subsequently, to agree the programme and the scheduling of witness sessions and amend or update the work programme overleaf accordingly.

18<sup>th</sup> November 2009

# **RESIDENTS' AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES** POLICY OVERVIEW COMMITTEE

### 2009/10

## **WORK PROGRAMME**

18 <sup>th</sup> November 2009	Street Lighting – Final Report agreed
	Choosing Review Topics
	Gambling Act 2007-10 – report sent to Committee for comments. Stephanie Waterford & Norman Stanley
	Work Programme for 2009/10
	Cabinet Forward Plan – review forthcoming decisions
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15 <sup>th</sup> December 2009	Review topic (tbc): Witness Session
	Work Programme for 2009/10
19 <sup>th</sup> January 2010	Review topic (tbc): Witness Session
	Budget Reports and Group Plans 2010
	Work Programme for 2009/10
	Cabinet Forward Plan – review forthcoming decisions and if appropriate, comment to the decision-maker.
17 <sup>th</sup> February 2010	Review topic (tbc):
	Work Programme for 2009/10
	Cabinet Forward Plan – review forthcoming decisions and if appropriate, comment to the decision-maker.
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10 <sup>th</sup> March 2010	Review topic (tbc): Witness Session
	Work Programme for 2009/10
	Cabinet Forward Plan – review forthcoming decisions and if appropriate, comment to the decision-maker.

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13 <sup>th</sup> April 2010	Cabinet Forward Plan - review forthcoming decisions and if
	appropriate, comment to the decision-maker.