CHILDREN'S SERVICES REVIEW COMMITTEE

REFERENCE FROM CABINET – 8TH APRIL, 2009 CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S PLAN 2009/10

Report of the City Solicitor

1. Why has this report come to the Committee?

- 1.1 To seek the advice and consideration of this Committee on a report considered by Cabinet on 8th April, 2009. The report presented a consultation draft of the Children and Young people's Plan (CYPP) 2009-10 and advised Members about Government guidance and about the proposals of the Sunderland Children's Trust to produce a 15 year strategy (2010-25) for the commissioning of services for children and their families.
- 1.2 Members' views will contribute to the consultation process.

2. Background and Current Position

- 2.1 The Cabinet, at its meeting held on 8th April, 2009, gave consideration to a report of the Director of Children's Services. The report sought the Cabinet's recommendation to Council to approve the draft CYPP 2009-10 and to approve the proposals for a 15 year commissioning strategy 2010-25..
- 2.2 Copies of the 8th April, 2009 Cabinet agenda were circulated to all Members of the Council. Recommendations from the meeting will be reported orally to the meeting.

3. Conclusion

3.1 The report is referred to this Committee for advice and consideration. Comments from the Committees will be reported back to Cabinet on 3rd June, 2009.

4. Recommendation

4.1 The Review Committee is invited to give advice and consideration to Cabinet on the attached report of the Director of Children's Services.

5. Background Papers

- 5.1 Cabinet Agenda, 8th April, 2009.
- 5.2 A copy of the Agenda is available for inspection from City Solicitor's or can be viewed on-line at:-

http://www.sunderland.gov.uk/committees/CmisWebPublic/Meeting.aspx?mee tingID=1042

6. Glossary

CYPP – Children and Young People's Plan

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