



# Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Tuesday, 14 September 2010</b>
<b>Time:</b>	<b>6.00 pm</b>
<b>Venue:</b>	<b>Committee Room 1 - Wallasey Town Hall</b>

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## AGENDA

### 1. **MEMBERS' CODE OF CONDUCT - DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST / PARTY WHIP**

Members are asked to consider whether they have personal or prejudicial interests in connection with any item(s) on this agenda and, if so, to declare them and state what they are.

Members are reminded that they should also declare, pursuant to paragraph 18 of the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules, whether they are subject to a party whip in connection with any item(s) to be considered and, if so, to declare it and state the nature of the whipping arrangement.

### 2. **MINUTES (Pages 1 - 8)**

To receive the minutes of the meeting held on 2 June, 2010.

Further to minute 13 and the matter of non-voting co-opted members, the Director of Law, HR and Asset Management will report verbally.

### 3. **PRESENTATION ON FIRST QUARTER PERFORMANCE 2010/11**

The First Quarter Performance Report on activities relevant to Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee is available to view in the web library and a presentation will be made to the Committee.

**4. ANNUAL UNANNOUNCED INSPECTION OF CONTACT, REFERRAL AND ASSESSMENT ARRANGEMENTS WITHIN WIRRAL COUNCIL'S CHILDREN'S SERVICES (Pages 9 - 16)**

**5. APPROVED SCHEME OF DELEGATION - CONTRACTS EXCEEDING £50,000 (Pages 17 - 20)**

**6. SCHOOLS' PERFORMANCE**

Mark Parkinson, Head of Branch (Learning and Achievement) will give an update on schools' performance.

**7. 0-19 STANDARDS SUB-COMMITTEE MINUTES (Pages 21 - 24)**

To receive the minutes of the meeting held on 13 July, 2010.

**8. WORK PROGRAMME**

Report to follow.

**9. FORWARD PLAN**

The Forward Plan for the period September to December 2010 has now been published on the Council's intranet/website and Members are invited to review the Plan prior to the meeting in order for the Committee to consider, having regard to the Committee's work programme, whether scrutiny should take place of any items contained within the Plan and, if so, how it could be done within relevant timescales and resources.

**10. ANY OTHER URGENT BUSINESS ACCEPTED BY THE CHAIR**