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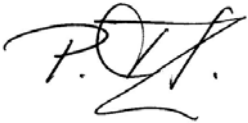
Dear Member

CHILDREN'S SERVICES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
MONDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER 2013 AT 6.00PM

You are requested to attend a meeting of the Children's Services Scrutiny Committee to be held on Monday 23rd September, 2013 at 6.00 pm in Committee Room 2 at the Council House, Dudley, to consider the business set out in the Agenda below.

The agenda and public reports are available on the Council's Website www.dudley.gov.uk and follow the links to Councillors in Dudley and Committee Management Information System.

Yours sincerely



Director of Corporate Resources

A G E N D A

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

2. SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

To report the appointment of any substitute members serving for this meeting of the Committee.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of interest in accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct.

4. MINUTES

To approve as a correct record and sign the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 13th June, 2013 (copy attached).

5. PUBLIC FORUM

To receive questions from Members of the public

6. INTRODUCTION FROM THE CHAIR

Update briefing paper to be circulated to members at the meeting

7. CHILDREN'S CENTRES IN DUDLEY MBC (PAGES 1– 99)

To consider a report of the Director of Children's Services

8. WITNESSES FOR CHILDREN'S CENTRES

9. PREPARATION FOR THE NEXT COMMITTEE – NEXT STEPS

10. TO ANSWER QUESTIONS UNDER COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 11.8 (IF ANY)

To: All Members of the Children's Services Scrutiny Committee:

Councillors Arshad, Bills, Boleyn, Casey, Hill, Islam, Marrey, Perks, Vickers and Mrs Simms. Mrs Walker (for information).

Mrs Ward, Reverend Wickens; Mrs Verdegem; Ms Sinden; Mr Taylor; Mrs Coulter, Mr Ridley, Mr Lynch, Mr Nesbitt.

cc: Councillor Crumpton (Cabinet Member for Children's Services)