

ISSUES ARISING FROM OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY OR OTHER COMMITTEES

REVISION OF PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSING ASSISTANCE POLICY

Responsibility: Portfolio Holder for Housing, Health and Wellbeing

Report of: Director of Finance, Housing and Community

Decision Route

Cabinet	3 July 2017	CAB 26
Scrutiny (Community and Regeneration) Committee	12 July 2017	Minute No 33
Cabinet	4 September 2017	

Scrutiny (Community and Regeneration) Committee Recommendations

The Scrutiny (Community and Regeneration) Committee, at its meeting held on 12 July 2017, endorsed Cabinet decision CAB 26 as follows:

- (a) That the Private Sector Housing Assistance Policy be revised to:
 - (i) Amend the types of assistance available in order to spend the additional funding provided through the Better Care Fund for Disabled Facilities Grants.
 - (ii) Provide additional financial assistance to bring empty homes back into use.
- (b) That the Director of Finance, Housing and Community be authorised to make further minor changes to the Policy.