BRIDGEND COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL REPORT TO AUDIT COMMITTEE

14th April 2011

REPORT OF THE ASSISTANT CHIEF EXECUTIVE - PERFORMANCE

INFORMATION AND ACTION REQUESTS BY COMMITTEE

- 1. Purpose of Report.
- 1.1 To summarise for Members the actions and information requests made by the Audit Committee.
- 2. Connection to Corporate Improvement Plan / Other Corporate Priority.
- 2.1 Internal Audit's work impacts on the Corporate Improvement Plan and other corporate priorities
- 3. Background.
- 3.1 Internal Audit conducts reviews according to an annual audit plan and reports findings to Audit Committee.
- 4. Current situation / proposal.
- 4.1 A summary of actions and information provided is contained in the following table:

| Audit Committee Date | Action /Request | Officer Responsible | Comment | Current Status |
|-------------------------------|---|--|--|----------------|
| 9 th December 2010 | Further report in 2011 on HR records once work referred to under 4.4 – 4.6 has been completed | Head of Human Resources and Chief Internal Auditor | | |
| 20 th January 2011 | Members requested that the Chairperson pursued on their behalf, further support as required in expediting progress on the Shared Services Agreement with the Vale of Glamorgan Council, and that feedback be given to Members on the outcome of this recommendation, in the immediate future. | Chair of the Audit Committee with assistance from the Chief Internal Auditor. | Letter sent to the Chief Executive on behalf of Members of the Audit Committee | Complete |
| 3 rd March 2011 | The Audit Committee requested a report from the Corporate Director Children detailing the circumstances which led to the decision by three secondary schools to opt out of the Catering Service and the arrangements in place in respect of liability, responsibility and quality control. | Corporate Director Children | Email sent to the Corporate Director Children advising her of the Committee's request. | Outstanding |

- 5. Effect upon Policy Framework& Procedure Rules.
- 5.1 None
- 6. Equality Impact Assessment.
- 6.1 There are no equality issues.
- 7. Financial Implications.
- 7.1 There are no financial implications regarding this report.
- 8. Recommendation.
- 8.1 That the Committee notes this report.

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Background documents:

Internal Audit reports relating to the above audits held within the Internal Audit Division.