REPORT TO: Children, Young People and Families Policy

and Performance Board

DATE: 21st February 2011

REPORTING OFFICER: Strategic Director Resources

SUBJECT: Performance Management Reports for

Quarter 3 of 2010/11

WARDS: Boroughwide

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To consider and raise any questions or points of clarification in respect of the second quarter to December 2011 performance management reports detailing progress against service objectives/ milestones and performance targets, and factors affecting the services etc for the Directorate and the three Departments:
 - Children and Families
 - · Children's Organisation and Provision; and
 - Learning and Achievement

2.0 RECOMMENDED: That the Policy and Performance Board

- 1) Receive the third quarter performance management reports;
- 2) Consider the progress and performance information and raise any questions or points for clarification; and
- 3) Highlight any areas of interest and/or concern where further information is to be reported at a future meeting of the Policy and Performance Board.

3.0 SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 3.1 The departmental objectives provide a clear statement on what the services are planning to achieve and to show how they contribute to the Council's strategic priorities. Such information is central to the Council's performance management arrangements and the Policy and Performance Board has a key role in monitoring performance and strengthening accountability.
- 3.2 The Board has been provided with an overview report which identifies the key issues arising from the performance in Quarter 3 for the Directorate at the request of the Chair of the PPB.
- 3.3 The full departmental quarterly reports are available on the Members Information Bulletin to reduce the amount of paperwork sent out with the agendas and to allow Members access to the reports as soon as they have become available. This also provides Members with an

opportunity to give advance notice of any questions, points or requests for further information that will be raised to ensure the appropriate Officers are available at the PPB meeting. The three departmental quarterly monitoring reports are also available via the following link.

http://intranet/documents/gmr/201011/CYP/CYPQ3Reports/

4.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS

4.1 There are no policy implications associated with this report.

5.0 OTHER IMPLICATIONS

5.1 There are no other implications associated with this report.

6.0 IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNCIL'S PRIORITIES

- 6.1 Departmental service objectives and performance measures, both local and national are linked to the delivery of the Council's priorities. The introduction of a Directorate Overview report and the identification of business critical objectives/ milestones and performance indicators will further support organisational improvement.
- 6.2 Although some objectives link specifically to one priority area, the nature of the cross cutting activities being reported, means that to a greater or lesser extent a contribution is made to one or more of the Council priorities.

7.0 RISK ANALYSIS

7.1 Not applicable.

8.0 EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES

8.1 Not applicable.

9.0 LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS UNDER SECTIONS 100D OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972

Document Place of Inspection Contact Officer Not applicable