

REPORT TO: Business Efficiency Board
DATE: 26 September 2012
REPORTING OFFICER: Operational Director – Finance
PORTFOLIO: Resources
SUBJECT: Audit Commission Update Report
WARD(S): Borough-wide

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 The purpose of this paper is for the Audit Commission to update the Board in regards to:

- The progress made in delivering their responsibilities as the Council's external auditors;
- The externalisation of the Audit Practice;
- Key emerging national issues and developments which may be of interest.

2.0 RECOMMENDATION: That the Board notes the report.

3.0 SUPPORTING INFORMATION

3.1 Please see attached report.

4.0 POLICY, FINANCIAL AND OTHER IMPLICATIONS

4.1 There are no direct implications.

5.0 IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNCIL'S PRIORITIES

5.1 There are no direct implications.

6.0 RISK ANALYSIS

6.1 This report is for information only. There are no risks arising from it.

7.0 EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES

7.1 None