

Report of the Chief Executive

DOMESTIC ABUSE POLICY

1. Purpose of report

To consider the introduction of a new Domestic Abuse Policy to replace the Domestic Violence and Abuse Policy.

2. Detail

The Council has a duty of care to its employees in relation to those suffering from Domestic Abuse and this policy outlines the commitment to support those employees.

The policy outlines the Council's commitment and provides a practical framework for employees and Managers and specifies the methods of support available.

Recommendation

The Local Joint Consultative Committee is asked to RECOMMEND to the Policy and Performance Committee that the Domestic Abuse Policy be approved.

Background papers

Nil.