

Finance and Resources Committee 7 September 2011

Transfer of regulatory functions from General Social Care Council to HPC

Executive summary and recommendations

#### Introduction

At the Council meeting on 14 October 2010, the Council agreed that there would be a standing item on every Council and Committee agenda, whereby the Executive would update the meeting on the progress of the project.

As the project is developing rapidly, a verbal report on progress will be made. The update will include the following issues:-

- 1. The Social Work Regulation Oversight Group;
- 2. The Social Work Reform Board;
- 3. Legislative timetable;
- 4. Update on Department of Health meetings;
- 5. Transition project;
  - a. Transfer of the Register
  - b. Fitness to Practise
  - c. Education
- 6. Budget.

#### Decision

The Committee is asked to discuss the verbal reports.

#### **Background information**

As agreed at the Council meeting on 14 October 2010, Council members have been receiving e-mails from the Secretary to the Council on the project.

### **Resource implications**

To be advised.

## Financial implications

To be advised.

# **Appendices** None.

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