

Fitness to Practise Committee – 24 May 2012

Transfer of regulatory functions from GSCC 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 weekly e-mails from the Secretary to the Council on the project.

Resource implications

To be advised.

Financial implications To be advised.

Appendices None.

Date of paper 14 May 2012