# health professions council

Psychotherapists and Counsellors Professional Liaison Group 3 and 4 March 2009

Actions List

**Executive Summary and Recommendations** 

# Introduction

Attached is the actions list as agreed at the last meeting of the Group

# Decision

The Group is requested to note the document. No decision is required.

# **Background information**

Please refer to previous papers and minutes for the background to decisions.

#### **Resource implications**

None

#### **Financial implications**

None

#### **Background papers**

None

#### Appendices

None

#### Date of paper

19 February 2009.

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# **Action points**

# Psychotherapists and Counsellors Professional Liaison Group

# 28 January 2009 and 29 January 2009

	Action point	For the	Action by	Comments
1	(and location in the minutes) Protection of title: Group agreed that the title 'counsellor' should be protected if possible, as it was widely used by practitioners and widely understood by the public. The Group felt that, if it was not	attention of MG	April 2009	
	possible to protect the title 'counsellor', 'registered counsellor' might be protected instead, but this should be the subject of further discussion. The Group agreed that the title 'psychotherapist' should also be protected. The Group agreed that the Executive should investigate whether it would be legally possible to protect those titles and report back to a future meeting.			
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