

**CHILDREN, YOUNG PEOPLE AND LEARNING OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL
12 JANUARY 2011**

**INDEPENDENT REVIEWING OFFICER SERVICE: ANNUAL REPORT 2009 / 10
Director of Children, Young People and Learning**

1 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 This report presents the 2009/10 Annual Report of the Independent Reviewing Officer Service which performs a key role in assuring the quality of the local authority's care planning for children who are looked after. The Annual Report was received by the Executive Member for Children and Young People on 16 November 2010 and the associated report is attached.

2 SUGGESTED ACTION

- 2.1 **That the Children, Young People and Learning Overview and Scrutiny Panel consider the 2009/10 Annual Report of the Independent Reviewing Officer Service.**

Background Papers

None.

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