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Dear Bob

**Executive Approval of the Review of the Council's Older People's Strategy
by a Working Group of the Overview and Scrutiny Commission**

I refer to your letter dated 29 April 2009.

On 16 June, the Executive considered the comments put forward by the Overview and Scrutiny Commission Working Group, together with the other responses received as a result of the public consultation on the draft strategy. The overwhelming majority of the Working Group's comments were accepted and have been incorporated into the Older People's Strategy which was approved at the meeting.

I enclose a copy of the report that was presented to the Executive which includes the detailed responses to the Working Group's comments.

Once again, I would like to thank the Overview and Scrutiny Commission Working Group for its work in helping to shape the strategy.

With best wishes

Councillor Dale Birch
Executive Member for Adult Services, Health and Housing

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