

REPORT

To: GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE	Subject: CONFERENCES
From: DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION	
Date: 22 OCTOBER 2003	Ref: CA/GP/MS

1. Purpose of Report

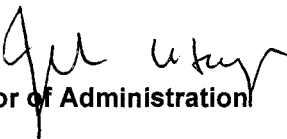
The purpose of this report is to advise the Committee of invitations received in respect of Member attendance at conferences.

2. Background

Since the last meeting of the General Purposes Committee four invitations, coming under the remit of this Committee, have been received for representatives to attend the conference, as detailed in the attached Appendix.

2. Recommendations

That consideration be given to the conference invitations received, as contained within the attached Appendix.


Director of Administration

Members seeking further information are asked to contact Margaret Shankland on Extension 2726

Invitations Received to Attend Conferences

- (1) Inclusion Conference – Clydebank, Dunbartonshire – 13-14 November 2003
Consider invitation from the Scottish Prison Service

- (2) Annual General Meeting – Belfast – 13-16 November 2003
Consider invitation from National Association of Councillors

- (3) The Changing Roles and Responsibilities of Councillors – York – 18-19 November 2003
Consider invitation from the National Association of Councillors

- (4) FOI SCOTLAND: Countdown to Freedom of Information – Edinburgh – 19 November 2003
Consider invitation from Holyrood Conferences