

**NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL
REPORT**

To: SOCIAL WORK COMMITTEE		Subject: MEMBER OFFICER GROUP PROPOSALS	
From: DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL WORK			
Date: 27 OCTOBER 2005	Ref: JD/AB		

1. Purpose of Report/Introduction

The Convener of Social Work wishes to propose that two Member Officer Groups be established to consider important areas of policy in the Social Work Sector.

2. Proposals

- 2.1. That there be formed a Member / Officer Group to consider subjects of Fostering and Adoption Services.
- 2.2. That there be formed a Member / Officer Group to consider protocols covering the Social Work Department's relationships with the public, other agencies and elected members.

Remits, membership and reporting timescales will be subject to further discussion between the Convener of Social Work and the Director of Social Work.

3. Recommendation

- 3.1. Social Work Committee is asked to note the report.



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14 October, 2005**

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