

AGENDA

POLICY

- (1) Proposed New Mental Health Legislation - Policy Statement by the Scottish Executive (pages 1-3)
Submit report dated 26 November 2001 by the Director of Social Work advising of a Scottish Executive Policy on the new Mental Health Bill which sets proposals to better protect patients' rights while enabling professionals to carry out their responsibilities to people with mental disorders effectively and compassionately (copy report herewith; copy document available in the Member's Library)

- (2) Scotland's Children - Better Integrated Children's Services - Report by the Scottish Executive (pages 4-6)
Submit report dated 23 November 2001 by the Director of Social Work summarising and commenting on the recommendations set out in the report by the Scottish Executive on an action plan developed for better integrated services for children (copy report herewith; copy document available in the Member's Library)

OPERATIONAL

- (3) Procedures for a Victims Statement Scheme - Consultation by the Scottish Executive (pages 7-11)
Submit report dated November 2001 by the Director of Social Work (1) advising of a consultation by the Scottish Executive on the recommendations set out in the report by the Scottish Executive Justice Department on "The Procedures for a Victim's Statement Scheme", and (2) seeking approval of the proposed response to the Scottish Executive as set out in the appendix to the report (copy report herewith; copy document available in the Member's Library)

- (4) Adults With Incapacity (Scotland) Act 2000 - Implementation of Part 6 - Intervention and Guardianship Order - Consultation by the Scottish Executive (pages 12-15)
Submit report dated 26 November 2001 by the Director of Social Work (1) advising of a consultation by the Scottish Executive on the recommendations set out in the report by the Scottish Executive Justice Department on the implementation of Part 6 of the Adults with Incapacity (Scotland) Act 2000, and (2) seeking approval of the proposed response to the Scottish Executive as set out in the appendix to the report (copy report herewith; copy document available in the Member's Library)

INFORMATION

- (5) National Framework for the Prevention of Suicide and Deliberate Self-Harm - Report by Scottish Executive (pages 16-17)
Submit report dated 26 November 2001 by the Director of Social Work (1) advising of a consultation on the recommendations set out in the report of the National Planning Group for Suicide Prevention and Deliberate Self-Harm Reduction entitled "National Framework for the Prevention of Suicide and Deliberate Self-Harm in Scotland", and (2) intimating the intention to prepare a joint response to the Scottish Executive (copy report herewith; copy document available in the Member's Library)

- (6) Deafblind Scotland Identification Project (pages 18-22)
Submit report dated 26 November 2001 by the Director of Social Work advising of the findings to date of the Deafblind Scotland Identification Project in identifying the number and needs of people living in North Lanarkshire with a dual sensory impairment (copy herewith)

- (7) NHS Lanarkshire Children's In-Patient Services - Winter Plan (pages 23-24)
Submit report dated 6 December 2001 by the Director of Social Work advising of NHS Lanarkshire's plans for Children's In-Patient Services during the period December 2001 to March 2002 (copy herewith)

- (8) Lanarkshire Primary Care NHS Trust - Youth Health Service Lanarkshire (pages 25-26)
Submit report dated 19 November 2001 by the Director of Social Work advising of the Youth Health Lanarkshire Services created to improve the health and well being of young people throughout Lanarkshire (copy herewith)

- (9) Child Protection Performance Information (pages 27-46)
Submit report dated 19 July 2001 by the Director of Social Work providing information and statistics on Child Protection in North Lanarkshire for the period from 1 April 2000 to 31 March 2001 (copy herewith)