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## Report of the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development

### Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Date: 4<sup>th</sup> June 2007

Subject: ANNUAL SCRUTINY REPORT TO COUNCIL – ACTION PLAN

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**Electoral Wards Affected:**

**Specific Implications For:**

Equality and Diversity

Community Cohesion

Narrowing the Gap

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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 Article six of the Council's Constitution states that the Overview and Scrutiny Committee will produce an annual report for Council about the work of the Scrutiny function. The report for 2006/07 was agreed by Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2007. This will be presented to full Council on 20<sup>th</sup> June 2007.
- 1.2 Within the Annual report is an Action Plan developed and agreed by Members of Overview and Scrutiny Committee and Chairs of Scrutiny Boards. This Action Plan is attached as Appendix 1.
- 1.3 There are some actions that fall within the responsibility of officers and these largely comprise of procedural matters, however there are others that require the input and commitment of elected Members.
- 1.4 Members are asked to consider how to progress the implementation of the agreed Action Plan.

## 2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1 That Members consider how best to progress the implementation of the agreed Action Plan.