STOCKTON-ON-TEES BOROUGH COUNCIL

CABINET RECOMMENDATIONS

PROFORMA

Cabinet Meeting14th January 2010

1. <u>Title of Item/Report</u>

Annual Meeting

2. Record of the Decision

Cabinet considered a report that presented recommendations made by the Members' Advisory Panel relating to the future format of the Council's Annual Meeting and a venue for 2010.

In January 2009 Council agreed to change the format of the Annual Meeting and also agreed that, following the 2009 meeting, a review of its operation be undertaken by the Members Advisory Panel. That review had taken place and the Panel agreed that the new format had been unsuccessful and recommended a return to the format that existed prior to 2009.

The Panel also identified a venue for 2010.

RECOMMENDED to Council that:-

- 1. The format of the Annual Meeting 2010, and future meetings, return to that used immediately prior to the 2009 meeting.
- 2.It note that the 2010 Annual Meeting will be held in the Jamal Building, New Street, Thornaby.

3. Reasons for the Decision

In January 2009 Council agreed to change the format of the Annual Meeting and also agreed that, following the 2009 meeting, a review of its operation be undertaken by the Members Advisory Panel. That review has taken place and the Panel agreed that the new format had been unsuccessful and made the recommendations as detailed above.

4. Alternative Options Considered and Rejected

None

5. <u>Declared (Cabinet Member) Conflicts of Interest</u>

None

6. <u>Details of any Dispensations</u>

Not Applicable

7. <u>Date and Time by which Call In must be executed</u>

Not Applicable

Proper Officer 18 January 2010