STOCKTON-ON-TEES BOROUGH COUNCIL

CABINET RECOMMENDATIONS

PROFORMA

Cabinet Meeting14th September 2017

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

Children's Services Progress Update: Quarter 1 (April – June) – 2017/18

2. Record of the Decision

Consideration was given to a report that provided a summary of performance across Children's Services. It was based on the Children's Strategy priorities agreed by Cabinet in June 2017. The strategy, agreed by Cabinet in June 2017, set out the key priorities for Children's services, and the key performance indicators associated with delivery.

The update report was in the following parts:

- a. Update on our 2017/18 priorities
- b. Update on other actions and progress against the wider strategy, including key performance measures.

RESOLVED that the report be noted, and in particular the achievements around:-

- 1. The performance of schools.
- 2. The impact of the recruitment campaign for experienced social workers.
- 3. The continued excellent performance of residential care homes in Stockton.

3. Reasons for the Decision

To ensure that members are aware of progress and issues in the delivery of the Children's Services strategy 2017-20.

4. Alternative Options Considered and Rejected

None.

5. Declared (Cabinet Member) Conflicts of Interest

None.

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

N/A

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

Midnight, 22 September 2017

Proper Officer 18 September 2017