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**THE NEW PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK FOR LOCAL
AUTHORITIES & LOCAL AUTHORITY
PARTNERSHIPS:**

SINGLE SET OF NATIONAL INDICATORS

RESTRICTED

Foreword

Effective local government is the backbone of strong communities, of prosperous towns and villages. It is responsible for aspects of everyday life that people care about deeply – from green parks, to well-stocked libraries, to clean streets.

In 1997, local government was under-resourced, run-down and demoralised. Since then, funding has increased 39% in real terms. Performance has risen year on year, and today three quarters of councils are rated very good or excellent.

But if we are to continue to improve public services in the way communities expect and deserve, and if we are to enable local government to live up to its full potential, Whitehall today needs to step back and give it the space to lead.

That is why the Prime Minister has called for “a reinvention of the way we govern”, an historic transfer of power from Whitehall to the town hall, and direct to communities.

This local devolution is the key to reinvigorating the grass roots of democracy, to making public services reflect what communities want, and to facing up to some of the most complex challenges we face today, such as climate change and community cohesion.

The 2006 Local Government White Paper, *Strong and Prosperous Communities*, promised a new era of freedom for local government: greater flexibility to set priorities, greater discretion over how to meet them. This meant that, among other things, up to an estimated 1,200 indicators for assessing performance would be reduced to around 200.

This document shows that Government is delivering. It sets out a single set of just 198 measures representing what Government believe should be the national priorities for local government over the next three years. It rightly paves the way for local authorities to look less to Whitehall for legitimacy and direction, and more to the communities they serve.

Alongside measures such as moving £5bn into general non-ring fenced grants allowing councils to spend money on the issues that matter locally, the single set of national indicators marks a big step in turning the rhetoric of devolution into reality. As we put it into practice it will give local government the space to thrive, to continue improving services, and to give communities what they need. The onus is now on local authorities to rise to the challenge, and I am confident they can deliver.

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Introduction

This document sets out the headline definitions of the 198 indicators which will underpin the new performance framework. This national indicator set has been developed as part of the Comprehensive Spending Review 07 so that it reflects the Government's national priorities. Performance against each of the 198 indicators will be reported for every single tier and county council Local Strategic Partnership.

Local Government is also responsible for many other services and activities valued by local people: these are not directly reflected in the national indicator set. It does not mean those activities should stop. It means that it is right for local authorities, and not Whitehall, to set their own priorities, and monitor performance themselves.

The national indicator set will be the only measures on which central government will performance manage outcomes delivered by local government. From April 2008, all other sets of indicators, including Best Value Performance Indicators and Performance Assessment Framework indicators, will be abolished.

In each area, targets against the set of national indicators will be negotiated through new Local Area Agreements (LAAs). Each Agreement will include up to 35 targets from among the national indicators, complemented by 17 statutory targets on educational attainment and safeguarding children. There will be no other way of setting targets, no other way of Whitehall managing local authority performance.

Setting the targets will be the subject of genuine negotiation between central Government and the local area. Whitehall will not mandate them. Even where targets are set out for Public Service Agreements at national level, local areas will have the flexibility to respond to these national ambitions in the most appropriate way in negotiation with Government Offices.

The headline definitions for the 198 national indicators are outlined below. We will shortly consult on the technical definitions of the indicators, giving stakeholders an opportunity to give views on the methodology, frequency of reporting, and data source of each individual indicator. If in the interim period there are detailed questions relating to the indicators, these can be directed to [\[nationaindicators@communities.gsi.gov.uk\]](mailto:nationaindicators@communities.gsi.gov.uk).

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The National Outcome and Indicator Set

[Individual wording of PSAs/DSOs subject to checking against final CSR announcement]

National indicators Stronger communities	
NI 1 % of people who believe people from different backgrounds get on well together in their local area PSA 21 NI 2 % of people who feel that they belong to their neighbourhood PSA 21 NI 3 Civic participation in the local area PSA 15 NI 4 % of people who feel they can influence decisions in their locality PSA 21 NI 5 Overall / general satisfaction with local area CLG DSO NI 6 Participation in regular volunteering CO DSO NI 7 Environment for a thriving third sector CO DSO NI 8 Adult participation in sport DCMS DSO NI 9 Use of public libraries DCMS DSO NI 10 Visits to museums or galleries DCMS DSO NI 11 Engagement in the arts DCMS DSO NI 12 Refused and deferred Houses in Multiple Occupation (HMO) license applications leading to immigration enforcement activity HO DSO NI 13 Migrants English language skills and knowledge HO DSO	Consultation on Community Safety Plan priorities contributes to this indicator. Our efforts have a major bearing on this indicator.

<p>NI 14 First contact resolution - resolution of customer requests at the first interaction in a range of key services Safer communities</p>	
<p>NI 15 Serious violent crime rate PSA 23</p> <p>NI 16 Serious acquisitive crime rate PSA 23</p> <p>NI 17 Perceptions of anti-social behaviour PSA 23</p> <p>NI 18 Adult re-offending rates for those under probation supervision PSA 23</p> <p>NI 19 Rate of proven re-offending by young offenders PSA 23</p> <p>NI 20 Assault with injury crime rate PSA 25</p> <p>NI 21 Dealing with local concerns about anti-social behaviour and crime by the local council and police PSA 23</p> <p>NI 22 Perceptions of parents taking responsibility for the behaviour of their children in the area HO DSO</p> <p>NI 23 Perceptions that people in the area treat one another with respect and dignity HO DSO</p> <p>NI 24 Satisfaction with the way the police and local council dealt with anti-social behaviour HO DSO</p>	<p>This is an important and objective indicator. The exclusion of less serious violent crime takes the focus away from minor scuffles and leaves it where we need it</p> <p>We have enjoyed major success in this area over the last 9 years. Previous debate around likely National PSAs has suggested that the target for Partnerships like ourselves should be about maintaining the current position rather than further reductions</p> <p>Questionable whether this can be resourced effectively.</p> <p>Could be thought to complement NI15, or could be thought to duplicate it.</p>

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NI 25 Satisfaction of different groups with the way the police and local council dealt with anti-social behaviour HO DSO	
NI 26 Specialist support to victims of a serious sexual offence PSA 23	Depends on the detail.
NI 27 Understanding of local concerns about anti-social behaviour and crime by the local council and police HO DSO	
NI 28 Serious knife crime rate HO DSO	} These are likely to be too small in volume to be worthwhile in Stockton
NI 29 Gun crime rate PSA 23	
NI 30 Re-offending rate of prolific and priority offenders	
NI 31 Re-offending rate of registered sex offenders PSA 23	This is likely to be too small in volume to be valuable in Stockton.
NI 32 Repeat incidents of domestic violence PSA 23	
NI 33 Arson incidents HO DSO	Depends on the detail. Primary deliberate fires, secondary deliberate fires, or both ?
NI 34 Domestic violence - murder PSA 23	Too small to make sense at locality level.
NI 35 Building resilience to violent extremism PSA 26	} Likely to be very interpretable.
NI 36 Protection against terrorist attack PSA 26	
NI 37 Awareness of civil protection arrangements in the local area CO DSO	
NI 38 Drug-related (Class A) offending rate PSA 25	May be valuable, depending on how it is to be measured.
NI 39 Alcohol-harm related hospital admission rates PSA 25	If adopted, needs to be also adopted by Health and Wellbeing partnership.
NI 40 Drug users in effective treatment PSA 25	Not an outcome measure.
NI 41 Perceptions of drunk or rowdy behaviour as a problem PSA 25	

<p>NI 42 Perceptions of drug use or drug dealing as a problem PSA 25</p> <p>NI 43 Young people within the Youth Justice System receiving a conviction in court who are sentenced to custody MoJ DSO</p> <p>NI 44 Ethnic composition of offenders on Youth Justice System disposals MoJ DSO</p> <p>NI 45 Young offenders engagement in suitable education, employment or training MoJ DSO</p> <p>NI 46 Young offenders access to suitable accommodation MoJ DSO</p> <p>NI 47 People killed or seriously injured in road traffic accidents DfT DSO</p> <p>NI 48 Children killed or seriously injured in road traffic accidents DfT DSO</p> <p>NI 49 Number of primary fires and related fatalities and non-fatal casualties, excluding precautionary checks CLG DSO</p>	<p>Small numbers. Likely to lead to debate about appropriate sentencing.</p> <p>The over representation of non-white young people in the YJS is not an issue in Stockton.</p> <p>Current YJB measure with a 90% target.</p> <p>Too much interpretability around the term 'suitable'.</p>
<p>Children & Young People <u>Be Healthy</u></p> <p>NI 50 Emotional health of children PSA 12</p> <p>NI 51 Effectiveness of child and adolescent mental health (CAMHs) services DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 52 Take up of school lunches PSA 12</p> <p>NI 53 Prevalence of breastfeeding at 6 - 8 weeks from birth PSA 12</p> <p>NI 54 Services for disabled children PSA 12</p> <p>NI 55 Obesity among primary school age children in Reception Year DCSF DSO</p>	<p>Important for YOS</p>

<p>NI 56 Obesity among primary school age children in Year 6 DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 57 Children and young people's participation in high-quality PE and sport DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 58 Emotional and behavioural health of children in care DCSF DSO</p>	
<p><u>Stay Safe</u></p> <p>NI 59 Initial assessments for children's social care carried out within 7 working days of referral DCSF DSO 2</p> <p>NI 60 Core assessments for children's social care that were carried out within 35 working days of their commencement DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 61 Stability of looked after children adopted following an agency decision that the child should be placed for adoption DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 62 Stability of placements of looked after children: number of moves DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 63 Stability of placements of looked after children: length of placement DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 64 Child protection plans lasting 2 years or more DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 65 Children becoming the subject of a Child Protection Plan for a second or subsequent time DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 66 Looked after children cases which were reviewed within required timescales DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 67 Child protection cases which were reviewed within required timescales DCSF DSO</p>	<p>Domestic Violence may be a factor.</p>

<p>NI 68 Referrals to children's social care going on to initial assessment DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 69 Children who have experienced bullying DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 70 Hospital admissions caused by unintentional and deliberate injuries to children and young people DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 71 Children who have run away from home/care overnight DCSF DSO</p>	
<p><u>Enjoy and Achieve</u></p> <p>NI 72 Achievement of at least 78 points across the Early Years Foundation Stage with at least 6 in each of the scales in Personal Social and Emotional Development and Communication, Language and Literacy PSA 10</p> <p>NI 73 Achievement at level 4 or above in both English and Maths at Key Stage 2 (Threshold) PSA 10</p> <p>NI 74 Achievement at level 5 or above in both English and Maths at Key Stage 3 (Threshold) PSA 10</p> <p>NI 75 Achievement of 5 or more A*-C grades at GCSE or equivalent including English and Maths (Threshold) PSA 10</p> <p>NI 76 Achievement at level 4 or above in both English and Maths at KS2 (Floor) DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 77 Achievement at level 5 or above in both English and Maths at KS3 (Floor) DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 78 Achievement of 5 or more A*-C grades at GCSE and equivalent including GCSEs in English and Maths (Floor) PSA 10</p> <p>NI 79 Achievement of a Level 2 qualification by the age of 19 PSA 10</p>	

<p>NI 80 Achievement of a Level 3 qualification by the age of 19 PSA 10</p> <p>NI 81 Inequality gap in the achievement of a Level 3 qualification by the age of 19 DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 82 Inequality gap in the achievement of a Level 2 qualification by the age of 19 DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 83 Achievement at level 5 or above in Science at Key Stage 3 DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 84 Achievement of 2 or more A*-C grades in Science GCSEs or equivalent DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 85 Post-16 participation in physical sciences (A Level Physics, Chemistry and Maths) DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 86 Secondary schools judged as having good or outstanding standards of behaviour DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 87 Secondary school persistent absence rate DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 88 Number of Extended Schools DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 89 Number of schools in special measures DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 90 Take up of 14-19 learning diplomas DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 91 Participation of 17 year-olds in education or training DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 92 Narrowing the gap between the lowest achieving 20% in the Early Years Foundation Stage Profile and the rest PSA 11</p> <p>NI 93 Progression by 2 levels in English between Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 PSA 11</p> <p>NI 94 Progression by 2 levels in Maths between Key Stage 1 and Key Stage</p>	
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<p>2 PSA 11</p> <p>NI 95 Progression by 2 levels in English between Key Stage 2 and Key Stage 3 PSA 11</p> <p>NI 96 Progression by 2 levels in Maths between Key Stage 2 and Key Stage 3 PSA 11</p> <p>NI 97 Progression by 2 levels in English between Key Stage 3 and Key Stage 4 PSA 11</p> <p>NI 98 Progression by 2 levels in Maths between Key Stage 3 and Key Stage 4 PSA 11</p> <p>NI 99 Children in care reaching level 4 in English at Key Stage 2 PSA 11</p> <p>NI 100 Children in care reaching level 4 in Maths at Key Stage 2 PSA 11</p> <p>NI 101 Children in care achieving 5 A*-C GCSEs (or equivalent) at Key Stage 4 (including English and Maths) PSA 11</p> <p>NI 102 Achievement gap between pupils eligible for free school meals and their peers achieving the expected level at Key Stages 2 and 4 PSA 11</p> <p>NI 103 Special Educational Needs - statements issued within 26 weeks DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 104 The Special Educational Needs (SEN)/non-SEN gap - achieving Key Stage 2 English and Maths threshold DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 105 The Special Educational Needs (SEN)/non-SEN gap - achieving 5 A*-C GCSE inc. English and Maths DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 106 Young people from low income backgrounds progressing to higher education PSA 11</p>	
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<p>NI 107 Key Stage 2 attainment for Black and minority ethnic groups DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 108 Key Stage 4 attainment for Black and minority ethnic groups DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 109 Number of Sure Start Children Centres DCSF DSO</p>	
<p><u>Make a positive contribution</u></p> <p>NI 110 Young people's participation in positive activities PSA 14</p> <p>NI 111 First time entrants to the Youth Justice System aged 10 – 17 PSA 14</p> <p>NI 112 Under 18 conception rate PSA 14</p> <p>NI 113 Prevalence of Chlamydia in under 20 year olds DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 114 Rate of permanent exclusions from school DCSF DSO</p> <p>NI 115 Substance misuse by young people PSA 14</p>	<p>Currently going in the wrong direction. Tension with Offences Brought to Justice (OBTJ) targets for Criminal Justice System agencies. Suggested that the OBTJ target may be re-focused on serious offences rather than all offences.</p>
<p><u>Economic Wellbeing</u></p> <p>NI 116 Proportion of children in poverty PSA 9</p> <p>NI 117 16 to 18 year olds who are not in education, training or employment (NEET) PSA 14</p> <p>NI 118 Take up of formal childcare by low-income working families DWP DSO</p>	

<p>Adult health and well being</p> <p>NI 119 Self-reported measure of people's overall health and wellbeing DH DSO</p> <p>NI 120 All-age all cause mortality rate PSA 18</p> <p>NI 121 Mortality rate from all circulatory diseases at ages under 75 DH DSO</p> <p>NI 122 Mortality from all cancers at ages under 75 DH DSO</p> <p>NI 123 16+ current smoking rate prevalence PSA 18</p> <p>NI 124 People with a long-term condition supported to be independent and in control of their condition DH DSO</p> <p>NI 125 Achieving independence for older people through rehabilitation/intermediate care PSA 18</p> <p>NI 126 Early access for women to maternity services PSA 19</p> <p>NI 127 Self reported experience of social care users PSA 19</p> <p>NI 128 User reported measure of respect and dignity in their treatment DH DSO 2</p> <p>NI 129 End of life access to palliative care enabling people to choose to die at home DH DSO</p> <p>NI 130 Social Care clients receiving Self Directed Support (Direct Payments and Individual Budgets) DH DSO</p> <p>NI 131 Delayed transfers of care from hospitals DH DSO</p> <p>NI 132 Timeliness of social care assessment DH DSO</p> <p>NI 133 Timeliness of social care packages DH DSO</p>	
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<p>NI 134 The number of emergency bed days per head of weighted population DH DSO</p> <p>NI 135 Carers receiving needs assessment or review and a specific carer's service, or advice and information DH DSO</p> <p>NI 136 People supported to live independently through social services (all ages) PSA 18</p> <p>NI 137 Healthy life expectancy at age 65 PSA 17</p> <p>NI 138 Satisfaction of people over 65 with both home and neighbourhood PSA 17</p> <p>NI 139 People over 65 who say that they receive the information, assistance and support needed to exercise choice and control to live independently PSA 17</p>	
<p><u>Tackling exclusion and promoting equality</u></p> <p>NI 140 Fair treatment by local services PSA 15</p> <p>NI 141 Number of vulnerable people achieving independent living CLG DSO</p> <p>NI 142 Number of vulnerable people who are supported to maintain independent living PSA 17</p> <p>NI 143 Offenders living in settled and suitable accommodation at the end of their order or licence PSA 16</p> <p>NI 144 Offenders under probation supervision in employment at the end of their order or licence PSA 16</p> <p>NI 145 Adults with learning disabilities in settled accommodation PSA 16</p>	<p>May be problems with definition.</p>

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<p>NI 146 Adults with learning disabilities in employment PSA 16 NI 147 Care leavers in suitable accommodation PSA 16</p> <p>NI 148 Care leavers in employment, education or training PSA 16</p> <p>NI 149 Adults in contact with secondary mental health services in settled accommodation PSA 16</p> <p>NI 150 Adults in contact with secondary mental health services in employment PSA 16</p>	
<p><u>Local economy</u> NI 151 Overall employment rate PSA 8</p> <p>NI 152 Working age people on out of work benefits PSA 8</p> <p>NI 153 Working age people claiming out of work benefits in the worst performing neighbourhoods DWP DSO</p> <p>NI 154 Net additional homes provided PSA 20</p> <p>NI 155 Number of affordable homes delivered (gross) PSA 20</p> <p>NI 156 Number of households living in Temporary Accommodation PSA 20</p> <p>NI 157 Processing of planning applications as measured against targets for 'major', 'minor' and 'other' application types CLG DSO</p> <p>NI 158 % decent council homes CLG DSO</p> <p>NI 159 Supply of ready to develop housing sites CLG DSO</p> <p>NI 160 Local Authority tenants' satisfaction with landlord services CLG DSO</p>	<p>Includes significant numbers of problem drug users on Incapacity Benefit.</p>

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<p>NI 161 Learners achieving a Level 1 qualification in literacy PSA 2</p> <p>NI 162 Learners achieving an Entry Level 3 qualification in numeracy PSA 2</p> <p>NI 163 Working age population qualified to at least Level 2 or higher PSA 2</p> <p>NI 164 Working age population qualified to at least Level 3 or higher PSA 2</p> <p>NI 165 Working age population qualified to at least Level 4 or higher PSA 2</p> <p>NI 166 Average earnings of employees in the area BERR DSO</p> <p>NI 167 Congestion - average journey time per mile during the morning peak DfT DSO</p> <p>NI 168 Principal roads where maintenance should be considered DfT DSO</p> <p>NI 169 Non-principal roads where maintenance should be considered DfT DSO</p> <p>NI 170 Previously developed land that has been vacant or derelict for more than 5 years CLG DSO 3</p> <p>NI 171 VAT registration rate BERR DSO</p> <p>NI 172 VAT registered businesses in the area showing growth BERR DSO</p> <p>NI 173 People falling out of work and on to incapacity benefits DWP DSO</p> <p>NI 174 Skills gaps in the current workforce reported by employers DIUS DSO</p> <p>NI 175 Access to services and facilities by public transport, walking and cycling DfT DSO</p> <p>NI 176 Working age people with access to employment by public transport</p>	
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<p>(and other specified modes) DfT DSO</p> <p>NI 177 Local bus passenger journeys originating in the authority area DfT DSO</p> <p>NI 178 Bus services running on time DfT DSO</p> <p>NI 179 Value for money – total net value of on-going cash-releasing value for money gains that have impacted since the start of the 2008-9 financial year CLG DSO</p> <p>NI 180 Changes in Housing Benefit/ Council Tax Benefit entitlements within the year DWP DSO</p> <p>NI 181 Time taken to process Housing Benefit/Council Tax Benefit new claims and change events DWP DSO</p> <p>NI 182 Satisfaction of businesses with local authority regulation services BERR DSO</p> <p>NI 183 Impact of local authority regulatory services on the fair trading environment BERR DSO</p> <p>NI 184 Food establishments in the area which are broadly compliant with food hygiene law</p>	
<p>Environment sustainability</p> <p>NI 185 CO2 reduction from Local Authority operations PSA 27</p> <p>NI 186 Per capita CO2 emissions in the LA area PSA 27</p> <p>NI 187 Tackling fuel poverty - people receiving income based benefits living in homes with a low energy efficiency rating Defra DSO</p> <p>NI 188 Adapting to climate change PSA 27</p>	

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<p>NI 189 Flood and coastal erosion risk management Defra DSO</p> <p>NI 190 Achievement in meeting standards for the control system for animal health Defra DSO</p> <p>NI 191 Residual household waste per head Defra DSO</p> <p>NI 192 Household waste recycled and composted Defra DSO</p> <p>NI 193 Municipal waste land filled Defra DSO]</p> <p>NI 194 Level of air quality - reduction in NOx and primary PM10 emissions through local authority's estate and operations. PSA 28</p> <p>NI 195 Improved street and environmental cleanliness (levels of graffiti, litter, detritus and fly posting) Defra DSO</p> <p>NI 196 Improved street and environmental cleanliness - fly tipping Defra DSO</p> <p>NI 197 Improved local biodiversity – active management of local sites Defra DSO</p> <p>NI 198 Children travelling to school - mode of travel usually used DfT DSO</p>	
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Public Service Agreements and Departmental Strategic Objectives to which the indicators relate

PSA or DSO	National Indicator number
PSA 2 Improve the skills of the population on the way to ensuring a world-class skills base by 2020	NI 161, NI 162, NI 163, NI 164, NI 165
PSA 8 Maximise employment opportunity for all	NI 151, NI 152
PSA 9 Halve the number of children in poverty by 2010-11, on the way to eradicating child poverty by 2020.	NI 116
PSA 10 Raise the educational achievement of all children and young people	NI 72, NI 73, NI 74, NI 75, NI 78, NI 79, NI 80
PSA 11 Narrow the gap in educational achievement between children from low income and disadvantaged backgrounds and their peers	NI 92, NI 93, NI 94, NI 95, NI 96, NI 97, NI 98, NI 99, NI 100, NI 101, NI 102, NI 106
PSA 12 Improve the health and well-being of children and young people	NI 50, NI 52, NI 53, NI 54
PSA 14 Increase the number of children and young people on the path to success	NI 110, NI 111, NI 112, NI 115, NI 117
PSA 15 Address the disadvantage that individuals experience because of their gender, race, disability, age, sexual orientation, religion or belief.	NI 3, NI 140
PSA 16 Increase the proportion of socially excluded adults in settled accommodation and employment, education or training	NI 143, NI 144, NI 145, NI 146, NI 147, NI 148, NI 149, NI 150
PSA 17 Tackle poverty and promote greater independence and well-being in later life	NI 137, NI 138, NI 139, NI 142
PSA 18 Promote better health and well-being for all	NI 120, NI 123, NI 125, NI 136
PSA 19 Ensure better care for all	NI 126, NI 127
PSA 20 Increase long term housing supply and affordability	NI 154, NI 155, NI 156
PSA 21 Build more cohesive, empowered and active communities	NI 1, NI 2, NI 4
PSA 23 Make communities safer	NI 15, NI 16, NI 17, NI 18, NI 19, NI 21, NI 26, NI 29, NI 31, NI 32, NI 34
PSA 25 Reduce the harm caused by alcohol and drugs	NI 13, NI 38, NI 39, NI 40, NI 41, NI 42

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PSA 26 Reduce the risk to the UK and its interests overseas from international terrorism	NI 35, 36
PSA 27 Lead the global effort to avoid dangerous climate change	NI 185, NI 186, NI 188
PSA 28 Secure a healthy natural environment for today and the future	NI 194
Department of Business, Enterprise and Investment	
BERR DSO Promote the creation and growth of businesses and a strong enterprise economy across all regions	NI 166, NI 171, NI 172
BERR DSO Ensure all Government Departments and agencies deliver better regulation for the private, public and third sectors	NI 182, NI 183
CLG DSO To improve the supply, environmental performance and quality of housing that is more responsive to the needs of individuals, communities and the economy	NI 141, NI 158, NI 160
CLG DSO To build prosperous communities by improving the economic performance of cities, sub-regions and local areas, promoting regeneration and tackling deprivation.	NI 170
CLG DSO To provide a more efficient, effective and transparent planning system that supports and facilitates sustainable development, including the Government's objectives in relation to housing growth, infrastructure delivery, economic development and climate change.	NI 157, NI 159,
CLG DSO Ensuring safer communities by providing the framework for the Fire and Rescue Service and other agencies to prevent and respond to emergencies	NI 49
CO DSO Build an effective UK intelligence community in support of UK national interests, and the capabilities to deal with disruptive challenges to the UK	NI 37
CO DSO Drive delivery of the Prime Minister's cross-cutting priorities to a) improve outcomes for the most excluded people in society and b) enable a thriving third sector	NI 6, NI 7
DCMS DSO Encourage more widespread enjoyment of culture and sport	NI 8, NI 9, NI 10, NI 11
DCSF DSO Secure well-being and health of children and young people	NI 51, NI 55, NI 56, NI 57, NI 58
DCSF DSO Safeguard the young and vulnerable	NI 59, NI 60, NI 61, NI 62, NI 63, NI 64, NI 65, NI 66, NI 67, NI 68, NI 69, NI

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DCSF DSO Achieve world class standards in education	NI 81, NI 82, NI 103, NI 104, NI 105, NI 107, NI 108, NI 109
DCSF DSO Close the gap in educational achievement for children from disadvantaged backgrounds	NI 76, NI 77, NI 83, NI 84, NI 86, NI 87, NI 88, NI 89
DCSF DSO Ensure young people are participating and achieving their potential to 18 and beyond	NI 85, NI 90, NI 91
DCSF DSO Keep children and young people on the path to success	NI 113, NI 114
Defra DSO: Climate change tackled internationally; and through domestic action to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.	NI 187
Defra DSO: Economy and society resilient to environmental risk and adapted to the impacts of climate change	NI 189, NI 190
Defra DSO: Sustainable patterns of consumption and production	NI 191, NI 192, NI 193
Defra DSO A healthy, resilient, productive and diverse natural environment	NI 195, NI 196, NI 197
DfT DSO To sustain economic growth and improved productivity through reliable and efficient transport networks	NI 167, NI 168, NI 169, NI 178
DfT DSO To enhance access to jobs, services and social networks including for the most disadvantaged	NI 175, NI 176,
DfT DSO To strengthen the safety and security of transport	NI 47, NI 48
DH DSO Better health and well-being for all; helping you to stay healthy and well empowering you to live independently and tackling health inequalities	NI 119, NI 121, NI 122
DH DSO Better care for all; delivering affordable, efficient and sustainable services, contributing to the wider economy and nation	NI 124, NI 128, NI 129, NI 131, NI 132, NI 133, NI 135
DH DSO Better care for all: delivering affordable efficient and sustainable services, contributing to the wider economy and the nation	NI 134
DIUS DSO Improve the skills of the population throughout their working lives to create a workforce capable of sustaining economic competition, and enable individuals to thrive in the global economy	NI 174
HO DSO Help people feel safer in their homes and local communities	NI 22, NI 23, NI 24, NI 27

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HO DSO Cut crime, especially violent, drug and alcohol related crime	NI 28, NI 30, NI 33
HO DSO Strengthen our borders, fast track asylum decisions, ensure and enforce compliance with our immigration laws and boost Britain's economy	NI 12, NI 13
DWP DSO Maximise employment opportunity for all	NI 153, NI 173
DWP DSO Increase security of income and reduce welfare dependency by reducing the number of people on out-of-work benefits.	NI 118
DWP DSO Pay our customers the right benefits at the right time	NI 180, NI 181
MoJ DSO We will support the efficient and effective delivery of justice	NI 43, NI 44, NI 45, NI 46