Decision No: CMM - 4

Forward Plan No: N/A

This record relates to Agenda Item 44 on the agenda for the

Decision-Making

RECORD OF CABINET MEMBER DECISION

DECISION-MAKER: COUNCILLOR TED KEMBLE

PORTFOLIO AREA: ENTERPRISE, EMPLOYMENT & MAJOR

PROJECTS

SUBJECT: EXECUTIVE RESPONSE TO SCRUTINY

AD HOC PANEL ON ENVIRONMENTAL

INDUSTRIES

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THE DECISION

- (1) That the Ad Hoc Scrutiny Panel on Environmental Industries be congratulated on the detailed and well informed work undertaken to produce their report.
- (2) That officers be mandated to implement the service changes needed to accommodate the major recommendations of the Scrutiny report as outlined in the body of the CMM report.
- (3) That there be an update on the implementation of the recommendations in 12 months.

REASON FOR THE DECISION

- (1) The ad-hoc panel report drew on a detailed level of expertise and current information on the development of the environmental industries. The resulting recommendations were extremely well informed and offer a number of useful and pragmatic ways forward for the development of this key subsector.
- (2) In the view of all of the witnesses who presented to the ad-hoc panel, this subsector is one that Brighton and Hove should actively develop both because of the inherent opportunities and because it would flourish well in this city. Many of the preconditions for growth for this subsector were identified in Brighton and Hove by the panel's findings.

DETAILS OF ANY ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS

(1) The option to create a new post in response to this ad-hoc panel report was considered but was not possible within current financial constraints.

OTHER RELEVANT MATTERS CONCERNING THE DECISION None

CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONFIRMED AS A TRUE RECORD:

We certify that the decision this document records was made in accordance with the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2000 and is a true and accurate record of that decision

Date: Decision Maker:

26 January 2010 Councillor Ted Kemble

Cabinet Member for Enterprise, Employment & Major Projects

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Signed:

Proper Officer:

26 January 2010 Mark Wall, Head of Democratic Services

Signed:

SCRUTINY

Note: This decision will come into force at the expiry of 5 working days from the date of the meeting at which the decision was taken subject to any requirement for earlier implementation of the decision.

Or: This decision is urgent and not subject to call-in (date of CE's agreement to urgency of decision).

Call-In Period 2 February 2010

Date of Call-in (if applicable) (this suspends implementation)

Call-in Procedure completed (if applicable)

Call-in heard by (if applicable)

Results of Call-in (if applicable)