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Title:	Scrutiny Panel on Bullying in Schools
Date:	13 June 2013
Time:	4.00pm
Venue	Committee Room 1, Brighton Town Hall
Members:	Councillors: Buckley (Chair), Brown, Gilbey, Mortensen and Watling
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1. PROCEDURAL BUSINESS

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2. CHAIR'S COMMUNICATIONS

3. INFORMATION FROM WITNESSES

To hear from witnesses:

1) Sam Beal - Learning and Partnerships Team. Chair of Anti-Bullying and Equality Strategy Group. Summary of the Safe and Well at School Survey.

Summary extracts from 2012 Survey results, attached.

2) Paul Myszor – Senior Educational Psychologist

My interest in understanding bullying and anti-bullying strategies started during my training as an educational psychologist in 1990. Since then I have carried out training with school staff, intervention groups, and individual work with children and young people, for Kent and East Sussex CCs. I joined Brighton and Hove CC in July 2012 as Senior Educational Psychologist with a specialism in emotional wellbeing. My particular interests, with regard to bullying, are peer group relationships, inclusivity, school and wider cultural values, emotional literacy and pupil and staff wellbeing.

3) Allsorts - Marianne Lemond (Allsorts Project Manager) and Elliot Klimek (Trans Youth Team Leader)

Works with the Council's Healthy Schools Team to tackle homophobic, biphobic and transphobic bullying in local schools.

Extract from Anti-Bullying and Equality Services Guide for Schools, attached.

4) Blatchington Mill School - Nick Wergan Deputy Head Teacher

Anti-bullying Policy and Behaviour policy, both attached.

5) Self Managed Learning College - Professor Ian Cunningham

6) **Professor Robin Banerjee** – summary of the evidence heard

4. RELATED INFORMATION

- Terms of Reference
- Sam Beal : Partnership Adviser Health and Wellbeing, June 2013
- Bullying and prejudice-based incident recording and reporting guidance for Brighton & Hove Schools
- Anti- Bullying & Equality Services Provided by the Community Voluntary Sector: A Guide for Schools – page 60 – Allsorts Youth Project
- Blatchington Mill School Anti Bullying Policy
- Blatchington Mill School Behaviour Policy
- Note for the Bullying Scrutiny Panel form the Self Managed Learning College

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