SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

MONDAY 24 MARCH 2003 At 6.00 P.M.

TOWN HALL, EASTBOURNE

MEMBERS

Councillor LACEY O.B.E (Chairman), BELSEY (Deputy Chairman) and Councillors SKILTON, SLATER, STANLEY, Mrs TESO and WILLIAMS.

AGENDA

1. **MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 24 FEBRUARY 2003 – Report 01.**

2. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**.

3. **DECLARATION OF INTERESTS.** Disclosure of interests by Members in items on the agenda under the Code of Conduct.

4. **QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC UNDER STANDING ORDER NO. 27** on matters not already included on the agenda and for which prior written notice has been given (total time allowed 15 minutes).

5. **URGENT ITEM(S) OF BUSINESS.** The Chairman to notify the Committee of any item(s) of urgent business to be added to the agenda.

6. **RIGHT TO ADDRESS MEETING/ORDER OF BUSINESS.** Chairman to report any requests received to address the Committee from a member of the public or from a Councillor in respect of an item listed below and to invite the Committee to consider taking such item(s) at the commencement of the meeting.

7. **BEST VALUE PERFORMANCE INDICATORS – 3RD QUARTER.** The report was submitted to Members on 20 February 2003. No questions had been received; therefore the next report for Performance Indicators is due on 9 June 2003.

8. **BEST VALUE REVIEW OF COMMUNITY SAFETY.** Report of the Community Safety Best Value Review Team **- Report 08.**

9. **EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC.** The Proper Officer considers that discussion of the following item is likely to disclose exempt information defined in Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 and may therefore need to take place in confidential session. The relevant paragraph of Schedule 12A is shown beneath the item as appropriate.

10. **CONFIDENTIAL MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 24 FEBRUARY 2003 – Report 10.**

(Exempt information reason - Para 7, Personal, Financial or Business Information).

Inspection of Background Papers – Please see contact details listed in each report.

Councillor Right of Address - Councillors wishing to address the meeting who are not members of the Committee must notify the Chairman in advance.

Public Right of Address – Requests by members of the public to speak on a matter which is listed in this agenda must be **received** in writing by no later than 12 Noon, 2 working days before the meeting e.g. if the meeting is on a Wednesday, received by 12 Noon on the preceeding Monday). The request should be made to Democratic Services at the address listed below. The request may be made by, letter, fax, or electronic mail. For further details on the rules about speaking at meetings or for asking a question on a matter not listed on the agenda please contact Democratic Services.

Further Information – Councillor contact details, committee membership lists and other related information are also available from Democratic Services.

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