Agenda Item:

Report to: Overview & Scrutiny Committee for Resources

Date: 15 March 2007

Report from: Scrutiny and Democratic Services Manager

Title of report: SCRUTINY REVIEW OF CONSULTANTS AND ADVISORS

Purpose of report: Final Report of Scrutiny Review Team

Recommendations: The committee agree the report and forward it on for Cabinet

discussion.

1.0 **Summary**

- 1.1 The 2006/2007 Annual Meeting of Overview and Scrutiny agreed to incorporate a review of the use of consultants and advisors in its work programme.
- 1.2 Councillors Bing, Cooke and Stevens were appointed to conduct this review.
- 1.3 The review team have concluded their work and produced the attached report.
- 1.4 The committee are asked to agree this report and forward it on for Cabinet discussion.

Appendices

Appendix 1 – Final Report of the Review Team Appendix 2 - Project Initiation Document

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