### **UPDATE ON ANTI-FRAUD STRATEGY**

### 1. SUMMARY

This report follows on from consideration of the updated anti-fraud strategy earlier this year.

#### 2. RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 To note the terms of the report.

## 3. DETAIL

- 3.1 The Committee will recall that an updated version of the anti-fraud strategy was considered and endorsed by the Council and the Audit Committee earlier this year. The new strategy was also publicised on the Council intranet site and has been available for the public to view since the meeting of the Council in January 2011.
- 3.2 The promotion of the strategy was an action identified by a previous audit plan and is one of the key documents that contributes to the overall sound governance of the Council.
- 3.3 It is the intention that later in the year the Audit Committee will receive a report of fraud activity, if any, within the Council and this will allow an assessment to be made of the effectiveness of the strategy.

## 4. IMPLICATIONS

Policy - None
Financial - None
Legal - None
Personnel - None
Equal Opportunities - None

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