AGENDA ITEM NO. 13

COUNCIL MEETING - 17 DECEMBER 2002

RECOMMENDATION TO COUNCIL COUNCILLOR LISGO - COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

Corporate Child Protection Policy

The Executive have considered details of a proposed Corporate Child Protection Policy.

The protection of children and young people is integral to the Council's corporate values and underpins the delivery of the Council's corporate priorities.

The Draft Policy has been prepared following investigation and research by an Officers' Working Group. It has also been considered in detail by the Community Leadership Review Panel at its meeting on 24 October 2002. The Panel recommended that the Policy be adopted. Details of the Policy have previously been circulated to all members, together with the papers for the Community Leadership Review Panel meeting on 24 October and the meeting of the Executive on 20 November 2002.

It is, therefore, RECOMMENDED that the Corporate Child Protection Policy be adopted.

Councillor Libby Lisgo