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4th October, 2006

Dear Councillor,

MEETING OF CABINET
THURSDAY, 12TH OCTOBER, 2006 AT 2.00 P.M.
THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, BROCKINGTON, 35 HAFOD ROAD, HEREFORD

AGENDA (06/08)

**HEREFORDSHIRE COUNCIL - NOTICE UNDER REGULATION 15 OF THE LOCAL
 AUTHORITIES (EXECUTIVE ARRANGEMENTS((ACCESS TO INFORMATION) REGULATIONS
 2000 (AS AMENDED)**

Notice is hereby given that the following reports contain key decisions. When the decisions have been made, Members of the relevant Scrutiny Committee will be sent a copy of the decision notices and given the opportunity to call-in the decisions.

Item No	Title	Portfolio Responsibility	Scrutiny Committee	Included in the Forward Plan Yes/No
5	Revised Communications Strategy	Corporate and Customer Services and Human Resources	Strategic Monitoring	Yes
7	Response to the Scrutiny Committee Review of Learning Disabilities Services	Social Care, Adults and Health	Adult Social Care and Strategic Housing	No



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1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive any apologies for absence.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive any declarations of interest by Members in respect of items on this agenda.

3. BUDGET PROCESS

To note the Council's approach to budget setting for 2007-08. *(Pages 1 - 2)*

4. DISABILITY EQUALITY SCHEME 2006-09

To consider the proposed Disability Equality Scheme 2006-09. *(Pages 3 - 44)*

5. REVISED COMMUNICATIONS STRATEGY

To approve a substantial revision of the Council's communications strategy for 2006/07 as a result of new communications channels and programmes being launched, new objectives and targets being set and the production of a wide range of communications plans to support new programmes aimed at achieving the transformation of the authority and the way it delivers services to local people. *(Pages 45 - 104)*


6. REVISED RISK MANAGEMENT POLICY

To approve the revised Risk Management Policy and to decide on Cabinet's Risk Management role within the Council. *(Pages 105 - 124)*

7. RESPONSE TO THE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE REVIEW OF LEARNING DISABILITIES SERVICES

To set out the Cabinet's response to the Adult Social Care and Strategic Housing Scrutiny Committee's review of Learning Disabilities Services in Herefordshire Council. *(Pages 125 - 136)*

Yours sincerely,



**N.M. PRINGLE
CHIEF EXECUTIVE**

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