

FC54. THE COMMISSION ON THE FUTURE DELIVERY OF PUBLIC SERVICES IN SCOTLAND FINAL REPORT AND CONSULTATION ON THE REFORM OF POLICE AND FIRE RESCUE SERVICES IN SCOTLAND

There was submitted Report (circulated) dated 21 September 2011 by the Chief Executive (a) advising that the Commission on the Future Delivery of Public Services in Scotland (the Christie Commission) had published its final report in June 2011; (b) summarising the key findings and recommendations arising from the report; (c) advising that the Scottish Government had published its proposals with regard to the proposed Reform of the Police and Fire and Rescue Services; (d) summarising the Government's key proposals and areas for consultation, with regard to Police and Fire and (e) advising that the due date for responses to the consultation was 2 November 2011.

NOTED:-

- (1) the Scottish Government's response to The Commission on the Future Delivery of Public Services in Scotland as set out in Appendix 1;
- (2) the Scottish Government's consultation on the Reform of Police and Fire & Rescue Services in Scotland and the key issues for consultation as outlined at paragraph 4.2 of the Report and contained within Appendix 2 of the Report; and
- (3) that further Reports will be brought to Members as more detail emerges.

AGREED that members would consider the content of the consultation on the Reform of Police and Fire & Rescue Services in Scotland and provide comments to the Chief Executive no later than 26 October to enable collation of a corporate response which then be circulated to Group Leaders prior to submission to the Scottish Government.