VJB35. Equality Outcomes and Mainstreaming Report

The Board considered a report by the Assistant Assessor presenting the Board's Mainstreaming Report Together with its Equality Outcomes.

The Equality Act 2010 placed both general and specific duties on the Board. The general duties were to:

- Eliminate discrimination, harassment, victimisation and any other conduct that is prohibited by or under the Equality Act 2010.
- Advance equality of opportunity between persons who share a relevant protected characteristic and persons who do not share it.
- Foster good relations between persons who share a relevant protected characteristic and persons who do not share it.

The specific duties required the Board to prepare and publish a Mainstreaming Report by 30 April 2013 and every 2 years thereafter. The 2019 report was presented for approval and publication. The Board was also required to prepare and publish equality outcomes by 30 April 2013 and every 4 years thereafter. The 2019 outcomes were presented for approval and publication.

Decision

The Board approved the revised Equality Outcomes and Mainstreaming Report.