FOR INFORMATION

This report provides the Audit Committee work plan to May 2016.

This information is provided to help develop the relationship between scrutiny and the Audit Committee, aiming to ensure:

- mutual awareness and understanding of the work of scrutiny and audit committee
- respective work plans are coordinated and avoid duplication / gaps
- · a clear mechanism for referral of issues, if necessary

The Scrutiny Work Programme is also reported to the Audit Committee.

At least once a year respective chairs will attend the committee in order to discuss work programmes and effectiveness.

The Chair of the Scrutiny Programme Committee is scheduled to attend the Audit Committee on 20 October.

The Chair of the Audit Committee is scheduled to attend the Scrutiny Programme Committee on 9 November.