

FOR INFORMATION

This report provides the Audit Committee work plan to May 2016, and draft work plan for 2016/17.

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 Audit Committee attended the Scrutiny Programme Committee on 9 November.

The Chair of the Scrutiny Programme Committee attended the Audit Committee on 15 December.