Education and Children's Services Scrutiny Panel – Actions Arising 19th July 2016

Minute:	Action:	For:	Report Back To: Date:
7	A permanent DCS would be appointed in the near future. Headhunters had been approached to find suitable candidates, and some of these had held informal discussions with SBC's Chief Executive.	Chief Executive	ECS Scrutiny Panel As appropriate

26th October 2016

Minute:	Action:	For:	Report Back To: Date:
14	The Trust had been successful in getting through the first round of a grant application process for £1.8 million central government Innovation Grant, with a final bid to be submitted in November 2016. The outcome should be known by Christmas 2016.	SCST	ECS Scrutiny Panel As appropriate
14	SCST to reduce the number of agency staff. 85% of staff in the hubs were permanent; this would continue to be monitored and reported to the Education and Children's Services Scrutiny Panel.	SCST	ECS Scrutiny Panel Ongoing
14	Resolved: 1. That SCST's Recruitment Manager revisit the files of potential foster carers which had lapsed to investigate their future recruitment.	SCST	ECS Scrutiny Panel As appropriate

8th December 2016

Minute:	Action:	For:	Report Back To: Date:
20	Resolved: 1. That the annual Complaints Report be circulated to members of the Panel.	SCST	ECS Scrutiny Panel 9 th February 2017
22	Re: Slough Borough Council regaining responsibilities for schools. 12 consultants were currently gaining intelligence on the local picture, with dialogue to be held subsequently once the assessment had been completed. Should it be required, a conversation with the Regional Schools Commissioner would be arranged.	Director of Children's Services	ECS Scrutiny Panel As appropriate
23	SBC would meet with the Regional Schools Commissioner 3 times a year. The Commissioner's relationship with the School Office Board was also evolving and would be central in future improvement efforts.	Head of Education	ECS Scrutiny Panel As appropriate