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OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Dear Councillor

You are invited to a meeting of the above Committee which will take place on **Monday**, **15th October**, **2018** in the Council Chamber, Forde House, Brunel Road, Newton Abbot, TQ12 4XX at **10.30** a.m. or on the rising of the Council Meeting, whichever is the later.

Should the Committee adjourn due to the duration of the meeting it will reconvene on Tuesday 16 October at 10 a.m. in the Council Chamber

Yours sincerely

PHIL SHEARS
Managing Director

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AGENDA

PART I

(Open to the Public)

Note:

Executive Members may observe proceedings

Executive Members may be invited to speak by the Chairman of the Committee

- 1. Apologies for absence
- 2. Election of Vice Chairman
- Minutes of Previous Meeting (Pages 1 10)
 Confirmation of the minutes of the meeting held on 10 September 2018.
- 4. Agreement of the agenda between Parts I and II
- 5. Matters of urgency or report especially brought forward with the permission of the Chairman
- 6. Public questions (if any) under Procedure Rule 5.8(h)
- 7. Councillor Questions (if any) under Council Procedure Rule 5.8(i)
- Minutes of the Strata Joint Executive Committee (Pages 11 14)
 To receive the minutes of the meeting held on 25 September 2018.
- 9. Declarations of interest

Overview

10. Homeless Reduction Act

To receive a presentation from the Housing Needs Lead Officer

- Homelessness Strategy Action Plan Update
 To receive a presentation from the Housing Needs Lead Officer.
- 12. Changes in Housing Enforcement (Pages 15 18)

To receive a report from the Private Sector Housing Team Leader, on recent changes to legislation in relation to the private rented sector and to advise members of the Council's recently launched Property Agents Rating Scheme (PARS).

Scrutiny

- Performance Monitoring Q1 Data (Pages 19 66)
 To consider the report from Business Improvement and Development.
- 14. Call-in to consider any call-ins

Future Programming

- 15. Executive Forward Plan (Pages 67 70)
- 16. Work Programme (Pages 71 76)To identify any areas of work for future meetings of the Committee.

Part II

(Private)

Items which may be taken in the absence of the Public and Press on the grounds that Exempt Information may be disclosed.

NIL