

**Children and Young People
Overview and Scrutiny Committee**

6th January 2015

Multi – Agency Safeguarding

Recommendation

That the Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee receive a verbal update from Sheila Meakin (Service Manager).

1.0 Summary

- 1.1 At the full Council meeting which took place on 25th September 2014, the following resolution was agreed in relation to CSE:
 - 1.) To ensure that Warwickshire’s own local safeguarding board and members have all the means necessary to monitor and challenge the practices within the council; and
 - 2) calls on all other local agencies working with vulnerable children to ensure similar co-operation with the political and professional scrutiny necessary to guarantee Warwickshire’s protection of every one of its children from the experiences detailed in Professor Jay’s report.
- 1.2 Following the resolution being agreed at full Council, the Children and Young People OSC agreed to set up a Select Committee to undertake a focussed scrutiny exercise of the WSCB, taking the above two points into consideration.
- 1.3 The Committee is asked to note the verbal update from Sheila Meakin.