

## **OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY BOARD**

A meeting of **Overview and Scrutiny Board** will be held on

**Wednesday, 9 April 2014**

commencing at **5.30 pm**

The meeting will be held in the Meadfoot Room, Town Hall, Castle Circus,  
Torquay, TQ1 3DR

### **Members of the Board**

Councillor Thomas (J) (Chairman)

Councillor Bent  
Councillor Darling (Vice-Chair)  
Councillor Davies  
Councillor Hytche

Councillor Kingscote  
Councillor McPhail  
Councillor Pentney  
Councillor Stockman

### **Co-opted Members of the Board**

Penny Burnside, Diocese of Exeter

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# OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY BOARD AGENDA

1. **Apologies**  
To receive apologies for absence, including notifications of any changes to the membership of the Committee.
2. **Minutes** (Pages 1 - 3)  
To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Board held on 19 February 2014.
3. **Declarations of Interest**
  - a) To receive declarations of non pecuniary interests in respect of items on this agenda  
  
**For reference:** Having declared their non pecuniary interest members may remain in the meeting and speak and, vote on the matter in question. A completed disclosure of interests form should be returned to the Clerk before the conclusion of the meeting.
  - b) To receive declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests in respect of items on this agenda  
  
**For reference:** Where a Member has a disclosable pecuniary interest he/she must leave the meeting during consideration of the item. However, the Member may remain in the meeting to make representations, answer questions or give evidence if the public have a right to do so, but having done so the Member must then immediately leave the meeting, may not vote and must not improperly seek to influence the outcome of the matter. A completed disclosure of interests form should be returned to the Clerk before the conclusion of the meeting.  
  
**(Please Note:** If Members and Officers wish to seek advice on any potential interests they may have, they should contact Governance Support or Legal Services prior to the meeting.)
4. **Urgent Items**  
To consider any other items that the Chairman decides are urgent.
5. **Torbay's Schools Improving Schools Partnership** (Pages 4 - 9)  
To consider a report on the way in which the education services within the Local Authority have developed over the past 12 months and to provide information on the standards achieved by children and young people.
6. **Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report** (To Follow)  
To consider the draft Annual Report of the Overview and Scrutiny Board.
7. **Overview and Scrutiny Work Programme** (Pages 10 - 20)  
To consider the draft Overview and Scrutiny Work Programme for 2014/2015.