

**SOUTH EAST ENGLAND REGIONAL ASSEMBLY
REGIONAL PLANNING COMMITTEE**

Date: 8 November 2004

Subject: **South East Plan Draft Policies**

Report of: Director of Planning and Transport

Recommendation:

That the Committee discuss and debate the suite of proposed draft policies with a view to making recommendations for presentation of the policies to the Assembly Plenary on 29 November 2004.

I. Purpose of report

I.1 The purpose of this report is to present the proposed draft policies for inclusion in the plan to this Committee and to seek member's views and comments on them. The outcome of this debate will be fed into further refinement of the policies and will be fed back to the full Assembly Plenary on 29 November 2004. We are seeking members' views on whether the coverage is appropriate for a regional document, and where there are policy gaps at the regional level which existing national and local policy does not fulfil.

I.2 The proposed draft policies are attached in Annexes 1-9 and are listed below:

Annex 1: Cross-Cutting Policies

Annex 2: Economy and Tourism

Annex 3: Housing

Annex 4: Communications and Transport

Annex 5: Sustainable Natural Resource Management

Annex 6: Countryside and Landscape Management

Annex 7: Management of the Built and Historic Environment

Annex 8: Town Centres

Annex 9: Social, Cultural, and Health Dimensions

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