

**CANNOCK CHASE COUNCIL**

**PERFORMANCE AND PARTNERSHIPS SCRUTINY SUB COMMITTEE**

**27 AUGUST 2008**

**BRIEFING NOTE OF EXECUTIVE & POLICY MANAGER**

**EXTERNAL INSPECTIONS – IMPROVEMENT PLANS**

At the last meeting on 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2008, Members requested that a list of current improvement plans which had been developed following external inspections by the Audit Commission and other inspectorates be provided to the meeting on 27<sup>th</sup> August.

There is presently only one improvement plan which is currently being progressed following an external inspection:

- Strategic Housing Improvement Plan

The Council receives an annual audit letter which comprises a number of elements including Use of Resources and Direction of Travel (an element of monitoring is carried out by Audit and Governance Committee).

In addition the following improvement plan is currently being prepared;

- Corporate Improvement Plan (which will include progress against actions in the Corporate Plan).

At the meeting on 27 August, 2008 Members may wish to consider whether the Committee should review the Council's performance against these improvement plans and if so, determine at which meeting each plan is to be reported for review.