



Buckinghamshire County Council Select Committee

Education, Skills and Children's Services Select Committee

Report to the Education, Skills and Children's Services Select Committee

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Electoral divisions affected:	All

Purpose of Agenda Item

In 2014 Ofsted carried out an Inspection of Children's Services at Buckinghamshire County and an Inspection of the Buckinghamshire Safeguarding Children Board in 2014.

The Ofsted Inspection took place between 3 June – 25 June 2014 and the report was published on 8th August 2014. The overall judgement of the inspection was that children's services were "inadequate" and that the Buckinghamshire Safeguarding Children Board (BSCB) were "inadequate".

The Select Committee has undertaken to monitor implementation of the Buckinghamshire Children's Services Improvement Plan and the Buckinghamshire Safeguarding Children Board (BSCB) Improvement Plan throughout 2015-2016, reviewing each of the six workstreams in succession.

Resource implications

There are no anticipated resource financial or resource implications arising from the Select Committee Inquiry. The financial and recourse implications arising from the improvement of children's services and the Buckinghamshire Safeguarding Children Improvement Plan will be considered as part of the Select Committee Inquiry.



Next steps

The Select Committee has agreed to monitor implementation of the Buckinghamshire Children's Services Improvement Plan and the Buckinghamshire Safeguarding Children Board (BSCB) Improvement Plan throughout 2015-2016.