

Committee Overview and Scrutiny	Date 30 November 2010	Classification Unrestricted	Report No.	Agenda Item No.
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1. Summary

- 1.1 This report updates the Overview and Scrutiny Committee on the Council’s use of the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000 (“RIPA”), in accordance with the Committee’s request made in October 2010.

2. Recommendation

- 2.1 The Overview and Scrutiny Committee is asked to consider and comment on the information contained in Appendix 1.

3. Background

- 3.1. The report to the Standards Committee of 23 November 2010 is contained in Appendix 1. The report sets out relevant information on RIPA, together with legal and finance comments and information about One Tower Hamlets and risk management.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 2000 (SECTION 97)

LIST OF “BACKGROUND PAPERS” USED IN THE PREPARATION OF THIS REPORT

Background papers

Name and telephone number of and address where open to inspection

None

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