

IMPACT AND VALUE ASSESSMENT

Report Title: SDS Strategy

Where the Impact & Value Assessment has identified a likely impact in relation to the committee proposal, detailed evidence is provided below.

STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS

Corporate Plan

Working in partnership with communities? - YES.

Tackling poverty? - YES.

Tackling climate change and supporting sustainable places? - NO.

Developing a resilient, stronger and greener local economy? - NO.

Enabling our children & young people to achieve their full potential? - YES.

Protecting and caring for our most vulnerable people? - YES.

Supporting and promoting physical and mental wellbeing? - YES.

Legal and Governance

Legal implications identified? - YES.

The SDS Strategy has number of legal implications. These include being compliant with UNCRC, the Social Care (Self-Directed Support)(Scotland) Act 2013, the Carer's Act 2016 and the Children(Scotland) Act 1995.

Governance implications identified? - NO.

RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

Finance

Financial implications identified? - NO.

Workforce

Workforce implications identified? - NO.

Asset Management

Asset Management implications identified? - NO.

CONSULTATION AND COMMUNICATION

Consultation

Internal or external consultation? - YES.

External consultation undertaken. An audit was carried out with parents, carers and where possible, children with disabilities.

Communications

Communications plan? - NO.

POLICY CHECKLIST

This report represents a new policy or a change to an existing policy document.

Corporate Risk Assessment

Corporate risk implications identified? - NO.

Equality & Fairness Impact Assessment (EFIA)

Protected equality characteristics impact? - YES.

Children with disabilities will have access to support tailored to their needs and where they and their parents/carers have had a choice in the provision of services they need.

A full EFIA is required (based on likely impacts to protected equality characteristics) and will be undertaken before the report is implemented.

Human Rights impact? - POSITIVE IMPACT.

The SDS strategy aims to uphold children's rights as laid out in UNCRC legislation. This includes provision of support to meet identified needs and supporting children to remain within their families.

A full EFIA is required (including details of likely impacts for human rights) and will be undertaken before the report is implemented.

Inequalities of outcome caused by socio-economic disadvantage impact? - POSITIVE IMPACT.

The SDS Strategy aims to ensure fair distribution of resources to meet identified needs of children affected by disability. It promotes choice and control for parents, carers, children and young people over the services they require.

A full EFIA is required (including details of likely impacts from inequalities of outcome caused by socio-economic disadvantage) and will be undertaken before the report is implemented.

Inequalities of outcome in relation to Communities of Place or Communities of Interest impact? - NO IMPACT.

Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA)

A SEA pre-screening assessment has been undertaken and did not identify environmental impacts/effects in relation to this report. (The completed assessment is available from <https://www.pkc.gov.uk/article/23543/Strategic-Environmental-Assessment>)

Climate Change Impact Assessment

Business, Industry & Supply Chain impact? - NO.

Energy, Buildings & Infrastructure impact? - NO.

Land Use & Land-Use Change impact? - NO.

Transport & Connectivity impact? - NO.

Waste & the Circular Economy impact? - NO.

Climate Resilience & Engagement impact? - NO.

Child Rights & Wellbeing Impact Assessment

Impact based on the GIRFEC wellbeing indicators? - YES.

The SDS Strategy intends to have a positive impact on every wellbeing indicator - Children and Young People will be safe with services being tailored to their needs, healthy as their physical and mental health needs will be met, nurtured by having support appropriate to their needs, active as support will take social and physical needs into account, respected as support delivered will be informed by the child/family, responsible as support will aim to encourage development and included as support will take place within the home or local community.

Sustainable Procurement & Supply Impact Assessment

Resource use and consumption impact? - NO.

Social wellbeing impact? - NO.

Environmental wellbeing impact? - NO.

Economic wellbeing impact? - NO.

Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA)

Impact related to personal data/information? - NO.