

**CORPORATE HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMITTEE – 19TH APRIL 2004**

**SUBJECT: THE MANAGEMENT OF ASBESTOS**

**REPORT BY: DIRECTOR OF THE ENVIRONMENT**

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**1. PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to inform Members, Management and Trade Union Safety Representatives of the Corporate Asbestos Policy.

**2. SUMMARY**

- 2.1 The Council has in place a number of procedural documents for managing asbestos. However, there is no policy on asbestos at present
- 2.2 A policy working group has met to discuss the formulation of an asbestos policy for the Authority.
- 2.3 A draft of the policy will be circulated to relevant officers and Trade Union Representatives for consultation, before being presented to this committee prior to being placed before the Corporate Management Team for its endorsement.

3. The Committee is asked to note the contents of this report.

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