

## **URGENT DECISION: LONDON SOUTHEND AIRPORT AND ENVIRONS AREA ACTION PLAN PREFERRED OPTIONS – JOINT CONSULTATION**

- 1.1 Pursuant to Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rule 15(f), it is reported to Council that, on 16 February 2009, the Portfolio Holder for Planning and Transportation decided that the London Southend Airport and Environs Joint Area Action Plan Preferred Options document be published for consultation.
- 1.2 The decision was taken as a matter of urgency and not subject to call in/referral because the timescales for the preparation of the Joint Area Action Plan require the submission plan to be completed and sent to the Government Office by the end of July 2009. It was, therefore, important to commence the proposed informal consultation as soon as practicable.
- 1.3 It is proposed that Council **RESOLVES** to note this report.

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### **Background Papers:-**

None

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