11 SOCIAL WORK DEPARTMENT - ESTABLISHMENT OF POSTS (OUTREACH WORKERS) (AN46-2002)

Reference is made to Article V of the Policy and Resources Committee of 11th March 2002, wherein the Committee noted the establishment of the Changing Children's Services Fund and instructed the Chief Executive to ensure that proposals for the use of these monies were developed and included within Dundee Children's Services Plan.

In this connection, the need to improve access to family support services to those communities in Dundee who do not have a local Child and Family Centre has been identified. The Committee is therefore asked to approve the establishment of two posts of Outreach Workers graded SCP27-35 (£18,878-£23,930), for a period of two years.

The costs of establishing these posts will be £52,250 in a full financial year and will be met from the Changing Children's Services Fund.