

**10 COMMUNITIES DEPARTMENT - LITERACIES INITIATIVE - EXTENSION TO FIXED TERM POST (AN110-2004)**

Reference is made to agenda note number 163-2002, submitted to Personnel and Management Services Committee on 19th August 2002, which approved an extension to the hours of work of the Section Leader (Literacies) by 7.25 hours per week.

The Communities Department has secured additional funding from the Scottish Executive in respect of their co-ordination role for this initiative. The Committee is therefore asked to approve the extension of the working arrangements for the Section Leader (Literacies) until 31st March 2006, with the option of allocating an additional 7.25 hours per week, subject to demand.

There are no financial implications arising from this proposal.