



DERBY CITY COUNCIL

**MINORITY ETHNIC COMMUNITIES ADVISORY
COMMITTEE**

THURSDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2005 AT 6.30 PM

**AT THE COUNCIL HOUSE,
DERWENT STREET ENTRANCE**

A G E N D A

- 1 Apologies
- 2 Late items to be introduced by the Chair
- 3 Declarations of Interest
- 4 Confirmation of the minutes of the meeting held on 8 September 2005 **Attached**
- 5 MECAC updates on minutes of previous meeting **Attached**
To receive a report detailing updates on items raised at the previous meeting

ITEMS REQUESTED BY COMMUNITY

- 6 Connexions (20mins) **Geoff Bright**
To receive a presentation by the Connexions team on the service the team provides in terms of BME groups

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- 7 Positive Action Update – Training (5mins) **Mark Edwards**
To receive an oral update on Positive Action training
- 8 Forward Plan (5mins) **To follow**
To consider if there are any items of interest to the Committee in the current Forward Plan. The December Forward Plan will be published on 17 November, so copies will be made available at the meeting.

ITEMS REQUESTED BY COUNCIL

- 9 Review of Children in Need Services to children and families from Black and Minority Ethnic Communities (10mins) **Mohammed Jakhara / Hazel Lymbery**
To consider a report on the review of children in need services to children and families from black and minority ethnic communities
- 10 A Vision for Ageing (10mins) **Sue Glithero**
To consider a report on Vision for Ageing
- 11 Home Office Consultation on Forced Marriage **Sue Glithero**
To consider a report on the Home Office consultation on forced marriages

- 12 Black and Minority Ethnic Housing Strategy 2005 – 2008
Second Round Consultation
*To consider a report on the Black and Minority Housing
Strategy 2005 – 2008 Second Round Consultation*

Sue Glithero

MECAC NEWSLETTER

- 13 To consider items for inclusion in the next MECAC Newsletter

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION (5mins)

- 14 MECAC Work Programme

Pam Thompson

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