



meeting	EMAS SELECT COMMITTEE	
date	10 December 2007	agenda item number

Joint report of the Chair of the EMAS Select Committee and the Head of Law and Democracy

Final Report

Purpose of report

1. To provide the EMAS Select Committee with the opportunity to consider a final report for the Review of the East Midlands Ambulance Service (EMAS).

Background

2. The Overview and Scrutiny Committee asked that the review of EMAS be completed by early November 2007. The Select Committee has collected evidence for the review over 6 meetings.

Issues

3. At the meeting of the Select Committee on 29 October 2007 it was agreed that a draft final report be produced for consideration at the meeting on 17 November 2007. A small number of amendments have been made to that draft and a final version is attached as an appendix to this report.

Recommendations

4. It is recommended that
 - i. the EMAS Select Committee consider the draft final report and any additional evidence
 - ii. that subject to the Chair and Vice Chair of the EMAS Select Committee agreeing the final text of any amendments, the EMAS Select Committee agree the final report
 - iii. the minutes of the meeting of the EMAS Select Committee on 19 November 2007 be submitted to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee for approval.

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Chair of the EMAS Select Committee

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Head of Law and Democracy

Background papers nil