

HEALTH SCRUTINY PANEL

A formal notice had been issued to all concerned of a meeting of the Health Scrutiny Panel to be held on 21 February 2008. At the appointed time of 4.00 p.m. the following were present:

PRESENT: J Bennington.

Following a visit to Middlesbrough Deaf Centre two profoundly deaf people had been invited to attend the meeting to take part in the discussion regarding audiology services in Middlesbrough.

Subsequent to the circulation of the agenda and report it transpired that a qualified British Sign Language Interpreter was unavailable to attend the meeting and following consultation with the Chair it was agreed to postpone the meeting until such time as an interpreter could attend.

No Member of the Health Scrutiny Panel was present after five minutes of the appointed time.

(The Council's Constitution (Part 4, paragraph 6) states that if after a period of five minutes there is still not a quorum, the meeting will adjourn immediately. Remaining business will be considered at a time and date fixed by the Chair).