THE CALL IN PERIOD FOR THIS DECISION EXPIRES AT 5.00 PM ON TUESDAY, 6 JANUARY 2004. THE DECISION CANNOT BE IMPLEMENTED UNTIL AFTER THAT DATE.

RECORD OF DECISION TAKEN UNDER DELEGATED POWERS AT COUNTY HALL, NEWPORT, ISLE OF WIGHT ON WEDNESDAY 17 DECEMBER 2003

Present:

Mrs T M Butchers, Portfolio Holder for Sustainable Development, Environment and Planning Policy

Mrs E Dutton, Committee Services

33/03 PLANNING SERVICES – BEST VALUE REVIEW

The Executive considered a report on the Best Value Review of the Planning Service at its meeting on 19 November 2003. There was widespread support for the contents of the Improvement Plan. However, the meeting was inquorate so it was agreed that the Portfolio Holder should use her delegated powers to approve the Improvement Plan. The Portfolio Holder considered the report and after taking further advice regarding financial implications made the following decision.

DECISION TAKEN:

That the Best Value Review be endorsed and the Implementation Plan be approved subject to any financial implications being considered as part of the budget planning process