

Executive Summary and Recommendations

Introduction

The Council is required to consult on its proposals for a Continuing Professional Development scheme which will be operational from August 2005. The implementation of a consultation process was delegated to the Education and Training Committee. The Committee drafted the CPD consultation document and this was circulated to members of Council for approval by electronic mail on Monday 21st August 2004. A copy of the document is available on the consultations section of the HPC website.

Decision

To note:

Council has formally approved the CPD Consultation document (September 2004) which will be distributed to each registrant on the HPC Register, other stakeholders and interested parties and organisations. As stated above the document was circulated to members and was approved. Therefore no decision is required at this time.

Background information

The following is an extract from the Council's Standing Orders, March 2004:

“Approval of Resolutions without a meeting

26. A resolution which with the consent of the President, is circulated to, and approved in writing or electronic form by not less than three quarters of the registrant/practitioner members and not less than three quarters of the lay members entitled to receive notice of and attend a meeting of the Council shall be as valid as if it had been passed at such a meeting.”

Resource implications

None.

Financial implications

None.

Background papers

None.

Appendices

None.