

DERBY HOMES BOARD 21 MARCH 2013

HEALTH AND SAFETY UPDATE

Report of the Director of Housing & Customer Service

1. SUMMARY

Details of recent health and safety performance and current issues.

2. **RECOMMENDATION**

To consider the report.

3. MATTER FOR CONSIDERATION

3.1 ACCIDENT AND INCIDENT REPORTS

Accidents and incidents involving Derby Homes' staff are recorded using a formal reporting system. In January and February there were 10 reported accidents. Two of these were less than 7 days Lost Time Accidents (LTA) and none were reportable.

3.2 VIOLENCE AND AGGRESSION REPORTS

Violent, aggressive or abusive incidents towards staff are reported by staff using a formal reporting system. Appropriate action is always taken against the perpetrator. In January and February there were 9 reported cases of violence, aggression or abuse towards staff. There were a further 4 cases where a potential risk to staff was identified and appropriate action taken.

11. HEALTH & SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

It is a legal responsibility of the Board to ensure effective health and safety management is maintained within the company. This report provides the relevant information to enable the Board Members to monitor this.

The areas listed below have no implications directly arising from this report:

Consultation Financial and Business Plan Legal and Confidentiality Council Personnel Environmental Equalities Impact Assessment Risk Policy Review If Board members or others would like to discuss this report ahead of the meeting please contact:

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