

To: All education stakeholder organisations

## **Review of Public Administration: Policy Paper 9 Youth Services**

Since the announcement regarding the Review of Public Administration (RPA) in November 2005, the Department of Education has been consulting with stakeholders in order to develop specific proposals for legislation.

The Department of Education issued a number of high level policy papers relating to the Review of Public Administration (RPA) for public consultation between December 2006 and January 2007.

I have attached the outcome of the screening exercise undertaken to determine the impacts of the Youth Policy Paper No 9 on equality of opportunity, as well as other key dimensions. The high level policy has been determined to have a positive impact, and therefore the policy will not be subject to a full equality impact assessment.

Comments on the preliminary screening would be welcomed, and should be sent to the address below by 10th March 2008.

Cathy Galway  
Youth and Community Relations Branch  
Department of Education  
Rathgael House  
Balloo Road  
Bangor  
BT19 7PR

Yours sincerely



**WILL HAIRE**