

COUNCIL MOTION

16 September 2021

PROPOSED BY: Cllr Mike Prendergast

SECONDED BY: Cllr Tony Brough

Children's Social Services

That this council:

- (1) Notes and fully accepts the contents of the independent Ofsted report of 10th May 2021
- (2) Acknowledges the failings in management, supervision and leadership identified by Ofsted that have left some of the most vulnerable children in the borough at an unacceptable level of risk
- (3) Agrees to expedite the publication and enactment of an effective improvement plan to set out how operational and management changes will be brought about.
- (4) Resolves to take all required steps to ensure that the Children's Social Services Department of Sefton Council, within 12 months, reaches a standard acceptable to the independent inspectorate