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**CO-OPTED MEMBERS – COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES**

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**SUMMARY REPORT**

**Purpose of the Report**

1. To note the newly appointed Community Representatives on the Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee.

**Summary**

2. Members will recall at the meeting of the Scrutiny Committee held on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2013, it was resolved that a Panel of three members be established to consider applications to fill the vacancy of a Community Representative and agree an appointment.
3. Councillors Taylor (as Chair), Kelly and Wright were appointed to the Panel and duly met on 30<sup>th</sup> August 2013 to consider the applications.
4. Five applications were received and the Panel considered each application carefully. Members agreed that due to the high calibre of the applications, that two representatives should be appointed.
5. Members agreed that Emma Coltman and Syeda Miah should be appointed as the Community Representatives on the Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee.

**Recommendations**

6. It is recommended that the Committee note the appointment of Emma Coltman and Syeda Miah as the Community Representatives on the Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee.

**Paul Wildsmith,  
Director of Resources**

## Background Papers

There were no background papers used in the preparation of this report.

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S17 Crime and Disorder	This report has no implications for Crime and Disorder.
Health and Well Being	This report has implications to the address Health and Well Being of residents of Darlington, through scrutinising the services provided by the NHS Trusts.
Carbon Impact	There are no issues which this report needs to address.
Diversity	There are no issues relating to diversity which this report needs to address.
Wards Affected	The impact of the report on any individual Ward is considered to be minimal.
Groups Affected	The impact of the report on any individual Group is considered to be minimal.
Budget and Policy Framework	This report does not represent a change to the budget and policy framework.
Key Decision	This is not a key decision.
Urgent Decision	This is not an urgent decision.
One Darlington: Perfectly Placed	The report contributes to the delivery of the objectives of the Community Strategy in a number of ways through the involvement of local elected members contributing to the Healthy Darlington Theme Group.
Efficiency	The Work Programmes are integral to scrutinising and monitoring services efficiently (and effectively), however this report does not identify specific efficiency savings.