

Meeting: Transport for the North Audit and Governance Committee

Subject: External Audit Update

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1. Purpose of the Report:

1.1 To enable Mazars, as TfN's External Auditor, to report upon the progress of the external Statutory audit.

2. Recommendations:

2.1 That the Committee notes the External Audit report.

3. Key Points:

3.1 Mazars have provided the draft Audit Completion report and will brief Members on its contents and answer questions during the meeting.

4. Corporate Considerations:

Financial Implications

4.1 The financial implications are detailed in the report

Resource Implications

4.2 There are no resource implications as a result of the report.

Legal Implications

4.3 There are no legal implications as a result of the report.

Risk Management and Key Issues

4.4 The risks associated with the audits are detailed in the report.

Environmental Implications

4.5 A full impact assessment has not been carried out because it is not required for this report.

Equality and Diversity

4.6 A full impact assessment has not been carried out because it is not required for this report.

Consultations

4.7 A consultation has not been carried out because it is not necessary for this report.

5. Background Papers:

5.1 There are no background papers to this report.

6. Appendices:

6.1 Appendix 1 – External Audit Report