The Children's Advocate, Lyn Campbell, updated the Committee on developments in the Bertelsmann 'Cities of Tomorrow' international network.

Background to the international network and topics for the first work cycle adopted by the ten cities involved were detailed in the report, together with an update on current progress.

It is intended that in March 2000 the city and youth cluster of the international network meet in Christchurch.

The Committee received the information and congratulated the staff team on their continuing work in this area.