Recommendation:

That the Committee note the report.

Background Papers:

- "Review of the Planning Enforcement System in England" consultation paper published by the OPDM 2002;
- PPG18;
- Circular 10/97;
- Enforcing Planning Control: Good Practice Guide For Local Authorities" published by DETR 1997.
- SDC Enforcing Planning Control Policy Document.
- SDC Enforcement Manual.

Implications:

- Financial: None. Set out in the report.
- Legal: Set out in the report.
- Human Rights: This report does not have any direct Human Rights implications for any party. Any interference in individual Article 8 and Article 1, Protocol 1 rights would be proportional and in the public interest.
- Council's Core Values: Protection of the environment; fairness and equality; open learning Council.
- Ward(s) Affected: All