

14. STUDY VISIT - MANCHESTER AND LIVERPOOL

The Council Executive considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Head of Planning, Economic Development and Regeneration seeking approval for the Chair of the Development Management Committee to attend a Scottish Government funded planning study visit to Manchester and Liverpool on 21 and 22 February 2019.

The Head of Planning, Economic Development and Regeneration advised committee that the Scottish Government organised an annual meeting for planning chairs. Following discussion at the last meeting, the Scottish Government and the Scottish Futures Trust had organised a study visit for planning chairs to look at developments in Manchester and Liverpool.

The study visit would focus on the build to rent sector and would look at some of the opportunities and planning challenges that this rapidly emerging sector of the housing market was creating.

It was recommended that Council Executive agree that the Chair of Development Management Committee attend the study visit to Manchester and Liverpool on 21 and 22 February 2019.

Decision

To agree the terms of the report