					Annex 2
	CHILDREN'S SOCIAL SERVICES	-			
VARIATIONS BETWEEN B	BUDGET & DRAFT OUTTURN EXPENDITURE	E FOR TH	E FINANC	IAL YEAR	2005/06
'+' indicates an increase in expenditure or a reduction in income		Draft	2nd	1st	Effect In
'-' indicates a reduction in expenditure or an increase in income		Outturn	Monitor	Monitor	2006/07
		£000	£000	£000	£000
Legal Fees	Increased expenditure on court costs, currently under joint investigation with legal services.		+ 42	+ 61	+ 60
Section 34 - Contact	Mainly due to the high level of contact commitments arising from care proceedings.	+ 65	+ 81	+ 72	+ 65
Fostering	Failure to meet targets for income from other authorities and high one-off incidental costs.	+ 57	0	+ 71	
<u>The Glen</u>	As a result of pressure on the service to meet the specialist needs of increasingly profoundly disabled children.		+ 41	+ 77	+ 30
Leaving Care	Due to increase in no of careleavers requiring accommodation and allowances.	+ 91	+ 19	0	+ 80
Externally Purchased Placements	One new placement since the last monitor and a six fold increase in the number of secure remand days.		+ 30	0	+ 70
Inter Agency Adoption Fees	Due to increased activity in trying to place children.	+ 54	+ 30	0	+ 50
Staffing Budgets (Various)	The net overspend across a number of budget areas due mainly to the non achievement of the vacancy factor and the use of agency staff cover in essential services.		+ 73	+ 52	
Other Minor Variations		+ 42	+ 74	+ 34	
TOTAL INITIAL PROJECTIO	N	+ 593	+ 390	+ 367	+ 365
Expected Impact of Actions Proposed at Monitor 1 and Monitor 2			- 120	- 261	
NET OUTTURN VARIATION		+ 593	+ 270	+ 106	