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5 There was submitted a report by the Director of Regional Economic Growth, providing, in an appendix to the report, a Regional Economic Baseline (REB) for the Glasgow City Region, which was an update on the Regional Strategic Assessment published in Autumn 2019, advising that using a wide range of socio-economic indicators, the REB provided partners with a snapshot of how well the economy was performing and

- (1) focused primarily on the Glasgow City Region, although the underlying data with the breakdown of indicators was available and in the coming months, analysis would be conducted on each indicator, which would provide member authority insights;
- (2) included a relative assessment against comparator UK Core City Regions and identified emerging priorities for the Region; and
- (3) included brief commentaries on City Deal impacts arising from COVID-19 and it would be used to inform the update of the Programme Business Case.

After consideration and having heard a presentation by Andrew Robertson, Intelligence Hub Manager, the Cabinet approved the report.