

Terms of Reference

Employment and Skills Panel¹

The Employment and Skills Panel is authorised to advise the Combined Authority and the Leeds City Region Enterprise Partnership in support of their ambition to secure inclusive growth in relation to:

- a) approving, reviewing or varying any policy or investment priorities, strategy or plan;
- b) identifying and promoting opportunities for obtaining devolved funding and bidding for other funding;
- c) developing and delivering new services;
- d) monitoring and reviewing the delivery of agreed outcomes and impact of any strategy, plan or service;
- e) developing and promoting a shared understanding of the demand for skills and employment with key partners;
- f) influencing the provision of education and training;
- g) promoting coherence with education strategies and policies, and
- h) aligning strategic priorities, strategies and plans,²

in respect of any function of the Combined Authority relating to **employment and skills** within the Leeds City Region.

¹ The Employment and Skills Panel is an advisory committee of the Combined Authority, appointed under S102(4) Local Government Act 1972.

² through liaison with other committees or sub-committees and partner councils.