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SECTION 1.2

RAPID STRATEGIC THEMES

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SECTION 1.4

HOW TO USE THIS PACK

This pack contains information and guidance on the rollout and implementation of the seven strategic themes underpinning the RAPID Programme.

The Pack is divided into 3 sections as follows:

Section One provides an introduction to the RAPID Strategic Themes. It contains details of the seven strategic themes, a Foreword (which will be included later once all themes are agreed) and information on how to use the pack.

Section Two contains the guidance notes on the rollout of the themes. It includes a generic guidance note that is relevant to each theme followed by theme specific guidance notes.

The generic guidance note focuses on the common areas of work to all of the strategic themes i.e. principles that underpin the work, establishment of sub groups and their ways of operating, development of strategy/action plan etc. Please ensure that this guidance note is made available to all AIT and strategic theme sub group members as it focuses on important working methods that should be employed.

The theme-specific guidance notes provide guidance on the rollout of the specific themes including information on the expected results and indicators from the work, the resources available and the linkages required with other themes. It is important that these guidance notes focus the work of the sub groups.

The generic guidance note and the theme specific guidance notes should be utilised as a unit so that a full understanding of the scope of work to be undertaken is in place.

Guidance notes on three of the strategic themes are included in the Pack initially. As guidance on the rollout of the remaining four strategic themes are developed in partnership with the lead Departments involved, these will be published and distributed to all areas. These guidance notes can then be included in this pack under the relevant identified section.

Section Three contains the four templates that should be utilised in the rollout of the strategic themes and that will aid the development of the work. Blank templates and sample templates are included in this section. Project numbers should follow the normal RAPID numbering system, with numbers for 2008 beginning from 800 e.g. DUB-SEIC 800, DUB-SEIC 801.