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Summons to Attend Council Meeting

To: The Mayor and Councillors of Haringey Council.

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Dear Sir/Madam,

A meeting of the Council of the London Borough of Haringey will be held at the Civic Centre, High Road, Wood Green, London N22 8LE on **MONDAY 24 MARCH 2003** at 19.45 HRS, to transact the following business:

1. To receive apologies for absence.
2. To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 17 & 20 February 2003 (circulated separately).
3. To ask the Mayor to consider the admission of any late items of business in accordance with Section 100B of the Local Government Act 1972.
4. To receive such communications as the Mayor may lay before the Council.
5. To receive a presentation from Gill Gibson, Director of the Markfield Project.
- ✓ 6. To receive the report of the Chief Executive (to follow).
- ✓ 7. To receive the report of the Monitoring Officer (to follow).
- ✓ 8. To make appointments to outside bodies (to follow).
- ✓ 9. To consider requests to receive deputations and/or petitions and, if approved, to receive them.
10. To approve the Treasury Strategy and policy for 2003-04 - Report of the Director of Finance.
11. To approve the Haringey Children and Young People's Strategic Plan 2003 / 2006 - Report of the Director of Social Services.
12. To answer questions, if any, in accordance with Council Rules of Procedure Nos. 9 & 10.
13. To receive reports from and adopt the minutes of Council Committees.

- (a) The Executive – 11 & 25 February and 11 March 2003.
- (b) Overview and Scrutiny Committee – 3 & 12 March 2003
- (c) Alexandra Palace and Park Board – 11 March 2003.

(a) & (c) were circulated with the Council minute book.

In accordance with Council Rules of Procedure No. 12(1), the Chief Executive will submit a report, if appropriate, (1) listing any calls in of minutes in the order in which they were received (2) listing any recommendations from the Overview and Scrutiny Committee requiring policy change or executive action.

14. To consider the following Motions in accordance with Council Rules of Procedure No. 13:

MOTION S (2002/03):

Councillor Reith has given notice that she will move in the following terms:

“The Council notes

- a) That falling prices for commodities such as tea and coffee are plunging millions of people in developing countries into poverty;
- b) That Fair Trade as defined by the Fair Trade Foundation guarantees producers a decent minimum price plus a social premium which funds community projects
- c) that guidance from government indicates that a preferential policy of procuring Fair Trade products is compatible with EU legislation;
- d) that the Mayor of London has launched a “Fair Trade City” initiative for London;
- e) that the London Borough of Croydon has achieved “Fair Trade Town” status awarded by the Fair Trade Foundation

and resolves to:

- i) incorporate a preference for Fair Trade products in its own procurement;
- ii) work towards Fair Trade Town status for Haringey, and to that end to:
 - a) encourage retailers and caterers in the area to supply FT products
 - b) encourage other employers and organisations to adopt FT procurement policies
 - c) establish a working group including officers and open to members of the public to promote these aims.”

MOTION T (2002/03):

Councillor Canver has given notice that she will move in the following terms:

“This Council welcomes the Government's recent White Paper on Anti Social Behaviour. It supports the emphasis on local responsibility to build safer communities. This Council supports the recognition that by targeting the anti-social few we can make life better for the many. This Paper is a catalyst for the renewal of civic dignity and responsibility, and has no greater supporter than this Council”.

MOTION U (2002/03):

Councillor Laird has given notice that he will move in the following terms:

“This Council acknowledges the diversity of faiths practiced by citizens in Haringey and will do its utmost to preserve the area's multi-faith image. This Council, already at the forefront of promoting and understanding diversity, will therefore establish a religious awareness code of practice and guidelines, which will:

- Establish a new policy aimed at building respect and understanding between people of different faiths.
- Ensure managers are aware in advance of important holiday dates for Christians, Jews, Muslims, Sikhs, Hindus and other creeds in order to allow the authority to run efficiently.
- Ensure managers are aware of staff needs for prayer time in festivals.”

MOTION V (2002/03):

Councillor Irwin has given notice that she will move in the following terms:

“Haringey provides significant support for asylum seekers, providing temporary accommodation, for example, for over 8,000 asylum seekers. Haringey has 3.1% of London's population but supports 12% of the capital's asylum seeker population. Haringey receives some funding assistance from Government but not enough. The funding gap may be exacerbated by conflict and uncertainty in the Middle East. This Council resolves therefore to set out the case for Government assistance and to lobby our local MPs for support in making the case”.

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