

**COUNCIL - 14 October 2002**

**AMENDMENT TO MOTION I**

**Proposer Councillor Sulaiman  
Seconder Councillor Wynne**

**Delete everything after "This Council" and insert:**

"welcomes the Department of Health's intention, through its statutory guidance 'Fairer Charging Policies for Home Care and other non-residential Social Services', to help ensure that charges are reasonable and that there is greater consistency across Local Authority charging policies.

This Council resolves to implement a revised charging policy in line with the guidance, which seeks to ensure that charges remain fair and equitable across client groups, and that the budget for income continues to be achieved in order that as many community care services are provided to all those who require them.

This Council welcomes the statutory duty under the guidance to provide comprehensive benefits advice as part of the assessment process and notes that this is already the practice in Haringey."

