

Overview & Scrutiny Committee – 6th September 2010
Cabinet Member Questions: Agenda Item 11 - Procurement

No	Page/ Point	Question/Observation	Answer (Where applicable)
<u>Questions from Cllr. Ejiofor</u>			
1	Leader's briefing 05/07/10	What is the target 'Local Multiplier effect' (LM3) that the Council thinks is appropriate, and what measures does the council take to monitor whether it's the money that it spends is recycled around the Haringey economy	
2	Leader's briefing 05/07/10	Does the Council have a similar objective is to "maximise the impact of every pound that we spend" across other departments?	
3	Leader's briefing 05/07/10	Whose responsibility is it to oversee the development of the local procurement strategies of each department and what measures does the council take to monitor whether the LM3 for this spending is achieved?	
Cllrs Robert Gorrie & David Winskill			
4	General: cost	How much does the central procurement process cost the council – last year, estimate of curent year and next year?	



5	General: savings	At appendix 2, the document talks of £10m identified savings: are these new savings or already included in the current budget?	
6	General: demand management	Please explain the role of <i>demand management</i> in achieving savings: is this a function of Procurement or Line Management (ie – buying better or using less!)?	
7	P6 Vision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is there a target for the % of goods and services supplied by local businesses? • what direct measures will be taken to support small businesses (<i>up skilling</i>) in the borough and assist in their ability to bid? • Will support be given to new and fledgling social enterprises? • Has the possibility of offering capability building with partner agencies in the public sector been explored? 	
8	P7 Vision participating in public sector consortia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What work has been done with our partner organisations to establish a publically accessible database of the cost of the goods and services they purchase? 	
9	P21 Joint Commissioning	Many of our partners are government departments or pan London bodies with a presence in London: what are the	



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		barriers to successful joint commissioning and how will these be broken down?	
		<u>Questions from Cllr. Browne</u>	
10	Procurement Strategy (8)	May we have recent examples of Haringey Council engaging with the Voluntary and Community sector in procurement of services.	