

# COUNCIL MINUTES

(EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING)

WEDNESDAY 29 NOVEMBER 2006



PRESENT:

The Mayor ( Councillor Minnie Scott Russell )

Councillors:

Colin Aherne  
Mrs Adronie Alford  
Jeanette Bentley  
Helen Binmore  
Nicholas Botterill  
Paul Bristow  
Victoria Brocklebank -  
Fowler  
Aidan Burley  
Jean Campbell  
Michael Cartwright

Stephen Cowan  
Gill Dickenson  
Belinda Donovan  
Gavin Donovan  
Caroline Ffiske  
Stephen Greenhalgh  
Steve Hamilton  
Robert Iggulden  
Donald Johnson  
Alex Karmel  
Antony Lillis

Mark Loveday  
Reg McLaughlin  
Lisa Nandy  
Greg Smith  
Frances Stainton  
Peter Tobias  
Rory Vaughan

**31. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Adam, Bethell, Chalk, Ford, Gore, Gugen, Harcourt, Homan, Ivimy, Johnson (A), Law, Owen, Phibbs, Powell, Robson Umeh and White.

**32. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest at this meeting of the Council

**33. MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Mayor thanked Councillors and officers for all their kindness and condolences following the recent loss of her dear son Hector, and although the light of her life had gone out, vowed to carry on.

**34. REPORTS & MOTIONS**

The Mayor announced that the Extraordinary Meeting had been called in accordance with Schedule 12 Part I paragraph (3) (1) of the Local Government Act 1972 and Council Procedure Rule 3 (c) to discuss the Gambling Act 2005 – Council's Statement of Gambling Principles.

7.02pm – **Gambling Act 2005 – The Council's Statement of Gambling Principles**

The report and recommendations were moved for adoption by the Deputy Leader & Cabinet Member for Environment, Councillor Nicholas Botterill, seconded by the Cabinet Member for Crime & Anti-Social Behaviour, Councillor Greg Smith.

There being no dissent, the report and recommendations were put to the vote:

FOR	Unanimous
AGAINST	0
ABSTENTIONS	0

The report and recommendations were declared **CARRIED.**

7.03pm - **RESOLVED:**

1. That Council approves and adopts the Statement of Gambling Principles set out in Appendix 1 to the report, that it be published, and that the Director of Environment be authorised to make minor amendments or any changes arising from the publication of secondary legislation and guidance.
2. That Council approves and adopts a 'no casino' resolution.

\* \* \* \* \* CONCLUSION OF BUSINESS \* \* \* \* \*

Meeting ended: 7.04p.m. - Wednesday, 29 November 2006.

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MAYOR