

## **Notices of Motion Submitted Pursuant to Council Procedure Rule No 5.17**

To receive the following Notice of Motion submitted by Councillor Lettington:

This Council believes that its decision-making procedures should be efficient, transparent and accountable to local people.

As such, the Monitoring Officer is asked, as allowed for in the constitution, to:

- a) observe meetings during the next cycle of Council
- and
- b) compare practice in this authority with those in other comparable authorities

in order to report back to the Council whether he feels that the practices within this Council include adequate provision for separation of executive influence from:

- a) the advisory function of boards and panels
- and
- b) the function of overview and scrutiny.