FC24. FINANCIAL POSITION 2010/11

In terms of the Council's Scheme of Delegation, this item had been called in to Council by Depute Provost Black and Councillor C Martin.

There was submitted (circulated) (a) Extract of Minute of Meeting of the Policy and Resources Committee held on 31 May 2011; and (b) Report by the Acting Chief Finance Officer submitted to the said meeting.

In accordance with the decision of the said Committee, Councillor Alexander, seconded by Councillor Coleman, moved that "Council agrees to suspend Standing Orders to consider the discontinuation of care charges imposed on elderly and disabled people in light of the improved financial position of the Council".

In terms of Standing Orders 32 and 33, said decision would require to be passed by two thirds of the Members present and voting and an absolute majority of the whole Council.

On a division 14 Members voted for the Motion and 15 voted against.

Accordingly the Motion fell.