

## FC60. NOTICES OF MOTION

### Housing and Social Care Committee

Councillor Meiklejohn, seconded by Councillor McNally, moved that:-

“Council notes with disappointment that since the media comment by the Convener of the Housing and Social Care Committee in the summer of 2007 that the Housing Department would extend into loft space to deal with overcrowding not one single property has been extended in such a manner.

Council finds this unacceptable, particularly as a number of properties have been identified as suitable for such alterations but, to date, no action has been taken to alleviate these families’ problems.

Council therefore calls on the Director of Corporate and Neighbourhood Services to advise what action has been taken by the Council to extend houses into their loft spaces or to bring a report to the next meeting of the Housing and Social Care Committee outlining why these works cannot proceed”.

By way of an Amendment, Councillor Gow, seconded by Councillor C MacDonald, moved that:-

“Council commends the Convener and Director of Corporate and Neighbourhood Services for the work that they have carried out in regard to extensions and conversions and looks forward to a report in this respect at the next meeting of Housing and Social Services Committee”.

Following discussion and in terms of Standing Order 25.2(ii) Councillor Gow, seconded by Councillor Nimmo, moved that “the question now be put”. Said motion was agreed unanimously following which the mover of the original Motion had the opportunity to speak in reply before the Motion was put to the vote.

On a division, 11 Members voted for the Motion and 16 for the Amendment.

Accordingly, **AGREED** the terms of the Amendment.