Item 3.6

Council, 14 July 2009

Motion in the name of Councillor Richard Cornelius

Housing Revenue Account

Under Standing Order Part 4, Section 1, 31.5: if my item is not dealt with by the end of the meeting I ask that it be voted upon at the Council meeting.

Council welcomes the announcement by the Minister of Housing that the Housing Revenue Account subsidy system is to be dismantled and replaced by a devolved system of responsibility and function.

Council congratulates the Minister for listening to the demands of Barnet and other London Boroughs.

Council requests Cabinet consider the reformed system when assessing the Housing Strategy Review.

Council calls on the Chief Executive to write to the Minister of Housing urging him to implement a fully self-financing locally devolved system in the shortest possible timetable.