Minutes

OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE LONDON BOROUGH OF BARNET held at Hendon Town Hall, The Burroughs, NW4 4BG, on 21 January 2014

PRESENT:-

The Worshipful the Mayor (Councillor Melvin Cohen LLB) The Deputy Mayor (Councillor Bridget Perry)

Councillors:

Maureen Braun Anita Campbell Pauline Coakley Webb Dean Cohen Jack Cohen Brian Coleman Geof Cooke Alison Cornelius Richard Cornelius Barry Evangeli **Claire Farrier** Anthony Finn Eva Greenspan Andrew Harper Helena Hart John Hart Ross Houston

Anne Hutton Andreas Ioannidis Geoffrey Johnson Julie Johnson David Longstaff John Marshall Kath McGuirk Ariun Mittra Alison Moore Graham Old Charlie O'Macaulev Wendy Prentice **Barry Rawlings** Hugh Rayner **Colin Rogers** Lisa Rutter **Brian Salinger**

Kate Salinger Gill Sargeant Brian Schama Alan Schneiderman Daniel Seal Mark Shooter Agnes Slocombe Ansuya Sodha Stephen Sowerby Andrew Strongolou Andreas Tambourides Joanna Tambourides Reuben Thompstone Jim Tierney Darrel Yawitch

Apologies for Absence

Councillor Alex Brodkin Councillor Tom Davey Councillor Brian Gordon Councillor Sury Khatri Councillor Lord Palmer Councillor Susette Palmer

Councillor Sachin Rajput Councillor Robert Rams Councillor Joan Scannell Councillor Daniel Thomas Councillor Rowan Quigley Turner Councillor Zakia Zubairi

1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None were declared.

2. NELSON MANDELA - COUNCILLOR ALISON MOORE

Councillor Alison Moore moved the Opposition Business item in her name. Councillors Brian Coleman and Richard Cornelius moved their amendments. Debate ensued. Upon

being put to the vote the amendment in the name of Councillor Brian Coleman was declared lost. Upon being put to the vote the amendment in the name of Councillor Richard Cornelius was declared carried. Upon being put to the vote substantive Business Item as amended by Councillor Richard Cornelius was declared carried.

RESOLVED - Council is proud of the inspirational work of Nelson Mandela in fighting racism and injustice. Council particularly notes his visionary example of forgiveness and lack of bitterness after 27 years in prison.

Council commits to seeking a sponsor to fund an annual memorial lecture to be held on the anniversary of his death and will actively encourage young people from across Barnet's diverse community to attend and participate.

The meeting finished at 6.43 pm