

Angus Council

**Social Policy Sub Committee of the Policy & Resources Committee
– 25 August 1998**

Tayside Racial Equality Council – Renewal of Service Level Agreement

Report by the Chief Executive

ABSTRACT

This Report recommends that the Council enter into a further year's Service Level Agreement with Tayside Racial Equality Council.

1. RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the Social Policy Sub Committee of the Policy & Resources Committee agree to enter into a further one year's Service Level Agreement with Tayside Racial Equality Council. The Service Level Agreement is related to:-

- (a) services for minority ethnic communities in Angus, and
- (b) a series of initiatives related to race awareness,

at a cost of £5,000.

1. INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

Since its vesting day, Angus Council have had a Service Level Agreement with Tayside Racial Equality Council for the provision of:-

- (a) services for minority ethnic communities in Angus, and
- (b) a series of initiatives related to race awareness.

These Service Level Agreements, and the work of Tayside Racial Equality Council have been monitored by:-

- (a) the Corporate Equal Opportunities Group, and
- (b) the involvement of an Elected Member (Councillor Glennis Middleton) on the Executive Board of Tayside Racial Equality Council.

On the basis of the performance of the organisation to date, officers are prepared to recommend that the Council enter into a further one year's Service Level Agreement with Tayside Racial Equality Council.

1. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

In previous years, the sum of £5,000 was the cost to the Council, of entering into a Service Level Agreement with Tayside Racial Equality Council. Such a sum could be contained in this Miscellaneous Services section of the Revenue Budget 1998/99.

2. CONSULTATIONS

The Directors of Law & Administration, Finance, Personnel, Housing, Social Work, Education, Recreation Services, Cultural Services and Environmental & Consumer Protection, have been consulted during the preparation of this report.

Note: No background papers, as defined by Section 50D of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (other than any containing confidential or exempt information), were relied on to any material extent in preparing this paper.

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