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## EXECUTIVE

### REPORT FOR INFORMATION

**MEETING:** 17<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 2003

**PRESENT:** Councillor Nick Stanton, Leader of the Council  
Councillor Caroline Pidgeon, Deputy Leader of the Council  
Councillor Catherine Bowman, Regeneration and Economic Development  
Councillor James Gurling, Communication and Performance Improvement  
Councillor Catriona Moore, Health and Social Care  
Councillor Richard Porter, Community Safety, Social Inclusion & Youth  
Councillor Bob Skelly, Education and Culture  
Councillor Lorraine Zuleta, Resources

#### 20.7 MOTIONS FROM MEMBERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROCEDURE RULE 3.9 – FLY TIPPING

The Executive considered this motion at its 20<sup>th</sup> May 2003 meeting but agreed to defer consideration of the item pending financial information relating to paragraph (iv) of the motion, which was considered. This motion was originally submitted to Council Assembly on the 26<sup>th</sup> March 2003 in accordance with Council Assembly Procedure Rule 3.9(1) by Councillor Lisa Rajan and seconded by Councillor Gavin O'Brien. Council Assembly considered the motion and subsequently referred the motion to Executives for consideration as follows:-

'Council notes

- i. the problem with fly-tipping in Southwark and the limited powers available to local authorities in dealing with this problem.
- ii. Council notes further that the Environment Agency, but not Southwark Council, has the power to stop vehicles carrying spoil and to demand to see their waste transfer license.
- iii. Council calls on the Government to give local authorities the same powers as it currently gives to the Environment Agency so that councils can effectively tackle this aspect of environmental crime.
- iv. Council calls on the Executive to report to Council on the following:
  - How they would see joint working with the environment agency proceeding.
  - How much they estimate this would cost the Council.

- From where they envisage the additional resources being found.'

Executive considered this motion and agreed that the supplementary advice of the Strategic Director of Environment and Leisure submitted to the Executive be noted.

- Council to tackle gun crime in Southwark and report back to Council Assembly on their actions.

The above motion was considered and agreed by Executive.

**COUNCILLOR NICK STANTON**

**LEADER OF THE COUNCIL**