

Item No. 6.1	Classification: Open	Date: 13 July 2022	Meeting Name: Council Assembly
Report title:		Questions on Reports - Member Allowances Scheme 2022/23	
Ward(s) or groups affected:		All	
From:		Proper Constitutional Officer	

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Responses to questions on reports will be circulated around the council chamber on the evening of the meeting.

1. QUESTION TO THE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL FROM COUNCILLOR GRAHAM NEALE

Given the financial pressures faced by the people living and paying council tax here in Southwark, and the economic prospects faced by our residents, it is time to send a clear message, that we, as elected councillors are determined to get the most from every council tax pound they contribute. Local residents have asked me to ask: Will Southwark's administration please end the loss of office payments for cabinet members in the Members Allowances Scheme? If the administration cannot bear to lose these payments, unique to this borough, are there any plans to suspend them, in the light of the cost of living emergency?

AUDIT TRAIL

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