NOTICE OF MOTION RECEIVED PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 12

The Proper Officer reports that the following revised Motion has been received from Councillors P F A Webster; T G Cutmore; P A Capon; Mrs T J Capon; R G S Choppen; K A Gibbs, J E Grey; Mrs S A Harper; A J Humphries; C A Hungate; Mrs L Hungate; G A Mockford, P K Savill; S P Smith; D G Stansby; Mrs M A Starke; M G B Starke and Mrs M J Webster:-

"Rochford District Council believes that, if indeed the Prime Minister does finally provide a referendum on the European Constitution, this will be welcomed by the people of Rochford – and all of Britain. The British people will then have the opportunity to exercise their democratic right and decide if the European Constitution should be accepted.

Only if the people agree for ever more powers to go to an unelected European Commission, is any British Government entitled to whittle away the role of Britain's democratically elected Parliament. It is for the people alone to decide if they wish to give away the sovereignty and independence of Britain.

For this motion, Council notes with pleasure, the support of the two Members of Parliament, Mark Francois and Sir Teddy Taylor, who represent the people of Rochford District."

Sarah Fowler

Head of Administrative and Member Services

Background Papers:

Revised Motion

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