NOTICE OF POLICY DECISIONS

The Policy & Finance Committee made the following decisions at its meeting on 9 March 2004:-

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Issues Arising from Overview & Scrutiny	
(1) Rayleigh Market Car Park (Minute 124/04)	That the licence with the current operator, Rayleigh Chartered Market, for the use of the market car park be renewed for a term of 7 years at a market rent and:-
	 On condition that the arrangements be reviewed should there be some material change in circumstances.
	(2) Together with such other terms and conditions as the Head of Legal Services considers appropriate. (HLS)
Grants to Outside Bodies (Minute 125/04)	 That the grant awards for 2004/05 be on the basis of the amounts proposed at Appendix 4 of the report.
	(2) That officers enter into discussions with the Rochford & Rayleigh Citizens Advice Bureau Ltd and report back on the possibility of a three year service level agreement covering the service. (HCP)
	(3) That this Committee receives a presentation on the Essex Savers Net Credit Union. (HFS)
Essex Green Buyers Club – Green Procurement Code (Minute 126/04)	That the Council join the Essex Green Buyers Club and adopt Part A of the Green Procurement Code. (HAMS)

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Concessionary Bus Pass Renewals (Minute 127/04)	That concessionary bus passes be renewed for an 18 month period with expiry in September 2005 and then annually thereafter. (HRHM)
National Non-Domestic Rating – Applications for Relief (Minute 128/04)	 That 50% Discretionary Rural Rate Relief be granted to the applicant set out in the exempt report with effect from 5 September 2003.
	(2) That 20% Discretionary Rate Relief be granted to the applicant set out in the exempt report with effect from

2 February 2003. (HRHM)

The above decisions will come into force, and may then be implemented, on the expiry of five working days after the publication of this Notice, unless referred to Full Council by a minimum of 3 Members or called in by an Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

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