

# **Council Meeting**

17 January 2006

**Booklet 1**

Questions

<b>1.</b>	<p><b>QUESTION SUBMITTED BY: Councillor Patton</b></p> <p><b>TO BE ANSWERED BY: Councillor Sawdon</b></p>
<p><b>TEXT OF QUESTION:</b></p> <p>Is the Chair of Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee as concerned as I am that the Report which went to Cabinet on 10th January 2006 regarding Ricoh Arena Development yet again by-passed the Council's Scrutiny system? Remembering that this is now at least 11 occasions when a paper has been submitted either as a Matter of Urgency or straight to Full Council from Cabinet on this topic, and which as a consequence also means that it could not be called-in for scrutiny.</p>	

<b>2.</b>	<p><b>QUESTION SUBMITTED BY: Councillor Patton</b></p> <p><b>TO BE ANSWERED BY: Councillor Taylor</b></p>
<p><b>TEXT OF QUESTION:</b></p> <p>Is the Leader of the Council in agreement with the Directors of CNR in allowing CCFC the main tenant of ACL a rent free period from August 05 when they played their first game at the new stadium to January 2006 and if so could he please explain to me how this subsidy will not be at the expense of the Council Tax payers of Coventry?</p>	

<b>3.</b>	<p><b>QUESTION SUBMITTED BY: Councillor Patton</b></p> <p><b>TO BE ANSWERED BY: Councillor Taylor</b></p>
<p><b>TEXT OF QUESTION:</b></p> <p>Is it correct that CNR, the Council's 100% owned development company has not received any income from ACL even though there have been Concerts and football matches going on at the Arena development since August 05?</p>	

<b>4.</b>	<p><b>QUESTION SUBMITTED BY: Councillor Patton</b></p> <p><b>TO BE ANSWERED BY: Councillor O'Neill</b></p>
<p><b>TEXT OF QUESTION:</b></p> <p>In the paper that went to Cabinet on the 10th January 2006 regarding Ricoh Arena Development it states on numerous occasions that the decisions taken would be at no cost to the Council or perhaps more importantly the Council Tax payers of the city. Does he agree with those sentiments?</p>	

<b>5.</b>	<p><b>QUESTION SUBMITTED BY: Councillor Patton</b></p> <p><b>TO BE ANSWERED BY: Councillor O'Neill</b></p>
<p><b>TEXT OF QUESTION:</b></p> <p>In the paper that went to Cabinet on the 10th January 2006 regarding Ricoh Arena Development it states in 3.13 of the report that the Council has agreed with ACL that this agreement will be in full and final settlement of any issues arising from the parts of the development that were not completed on the 19th August 2005. When was this agreed?</p>	

<b>6.</b>	<p><b>QUESTION SUBMITTED BY: Councillor Patton</b></p> <p><b>TO BE ANSWERED BY: Councillor Arrowsmith</b></p>
<p><b>TEXT OF QUESTION:</b></p> <p>In the paper that went to Cabinet on the 10th January 2006 regarding Ricoh Arena Development it states that 2,500 local jobs have already been created. Taking out the jobs that were relocated from the Highfield Road complex could he please give me a break down of where these 'local jobs' actually are?</p>	

<b>7.</b>	<p><b>QUESTION SUBMITTED BY: Councillor Patton</b></p> <p><b>TO BE ANSWERED BY: Councillor Ridley</b></p>
<p><b>TEXT OF QUESTION:</b></p> <p>In the paper that went to Cabinet on the 10th January 2006 regarding Ricoh Arena Development it states that The Ricoh Arena has already reaped many benefits to the City of Coventry including 'A Library (with the highest footfall in the city)' could he please give me a break down on this statement?</p>	

<b>8.</b>	<p><b>QUESTION SUBMITTED BY: Councillor Patton</b></p> <p><b>TO BE ANSWERED BY: Councillor Foster</b></p>
<p><b>TEXT OF QUESTION:</b></p> <p>Was any extra funding put in place to cope with the extra Refuge collections over the 2005 Christmas period? If so could he please give me a break down of where this funding went?</p>	



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