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Reference is made to Article II of the Minute of the Meeting of the Special Policy and Resources Committee on 12th February 2009 when the Head of Waste Management was remitted to negotiate a contract with Stirling Fibre Limited for the recycling of all paper and cardboard collected within the City (Report No. 104-2009 refers).

Since then, a proposal to extend this contract was offered by the contractor and this included an improved price structure and a guaranteed minimum price, regardless of world market conditions.

As this will provide price stability for the Council in future years in what is traditionally a volatile market place, the Head of Waste Management agreed to extend the contract on these conditions.

The Committee are asked to note the position.