8 COMMUNITIES DEPARTMENT - SMOKING PREVENTION AND CESSATION - ESTABLISHMENT OF FIXED TERM POSTS (AN292-2004)

The Policy and Resources Committee, at its meeting on 30 June 2003, Report No 352-2003, submitted an application to the Scottish Executive for funding for its Quality of Life Project.

A further report was submitted to the Policy and Resources Committee on 14 June 2004, Report No 439-2004, recommending that the Council approve the Smoking Prevention and Cessation Initiative to reduce smoking by or among children and young people.

The Committee is requested to approve the establishment of 2 posts Youth Worker (Smoking Cessation) and Peer Education Worker (Smoking Prevention), both graded CEW, £17,340 - £22,398, for a fixed term up to 31 March 2006.

The funding for these posts will come from the Scottish Executive and there are no financial implications for Dundee City Council.