8 HOUSING DEPARTMENT - EXTENSION OF FIXED TERM POSTS (HOMELESS ASSESSMENT/STRATEGY TEAM) (AN126-2003)

Reference is made to Article VIII of the minute of meeting of this Committee of 14th January, 2002, wherein the Committee approved the establishment of a number of fixed term posts for a period of 12 months in order to implement the homelessness provisions of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2001. The Scottish Executive has now allocated additional funding and accordingly the Committee is asked to approve the extension of the undernoted posts in the Homeless Assessment/Strategy Team until 31st March, 2004:-

Principal Housing Officer graded PO3-6 (£25,241 -£27,479); Senior Housing Officer graded AP5 (£21,536 - £23,459); Housing Officer graded AP3 (£16,673 - £18,296).

All costs will be met from specific grant awarded by the Scottish Executive. There are no implications for the Housing Revenue Account or Council Tax.