14. TRANSATLANTIC TRADE AND INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP (TTIP) (AN198-2015)

This Item has been placed on the Agenda at the request of Councillor Black who will ask the Committee to agree:-

- 1. To write to the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government, The Right Honourable Greg Clark, MP, the Minister for Local Government and Community Empowerment, Marco Biagi, MSP, local MPs, MSPs and all Scottish MEPs raising our serious concerns about the impact of TTIP on local authorities and the secrecy of the negotiating process.
- 2. To write to COSLA to raise our serious concerns about the impact of TTIP on local authorities and ask them to raise these with the Westminster and Scottish Governments on our behalf.
- 3. To call for an impact assessment on the impact of TTIP on local authorities.
- 4. To publicise the Council's concerns about TTIP; join with other local authorities which are opposed to TTIP across Europe and work with local campaigners to raise awareness about the problems of TTIP.