

REPORT TO: NEIGHBOURHOOD RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE - 8 MAY 2000

REPORT ON: NATIONAL ORGANISATIONS FUND I 2000/2001

REPORT BY: DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOOD RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT

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At its meeting on 10 February 1997, the Committee approved the criteria and procedures for the Department's grant aid portfolio (Report No 127/1997 refers).

This Note contains details of the recommendations for specific grant awards. The Committee is asked to approve the recommended grants which can be met from the relevant revenue budget 2000/2001.

REF NO	NAME OF APPLICANT	PURPOSE OF ORGANISATION	GRANT REQUESTED £	COSLA RECOMMENDATION	GRANT RECOMMENDED £
1	Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations (SCVO)	The umbrella body for all voluntary organisations in Scotland.	300 Associate Member	No specific recommendation	300
2	LEAD Scotland (Linking Education and Disability)	Provides guidance and access to educational and leisure opportunities for physically disabled and/or seriously impaired adults.	1,350	N/A	1,272
3	Volunteer Development Scotland	The national centre for volunteering in Scotland, promoting volunteering and developing initiatives and quality practice.	120	N/A	120
4	Scottish Human Rights Centre (formerly Scottish Council for Civil Liberties)	An independent organisation established in 1969 to defend and promote civil liberties in Scotland.	As per COSLA recommendation	£9,80 per 1,000 population	1,470

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5	The Poverty Alliance	An alliance of voluntary and community, public and private sector organisations, working together to combat poverty.	200 Associate Member	N/A	200
6	YouthLink Scotland (National Partners in Voluntary Youth Work)	The umbrella organisation for the voluntary youth sector, both uniformed and non-uniformed.	450 Associate Member	N/A	450
7	Coman an Luchd Ionnsachaidh Limited (For learners, supporters and speakers of Scots Gaelic)	National network of Gaelic learners' services. Grant requested for contribution towards staff costs and publications which are sent, at no cost, to Dundee's libraries and development of adult learners' group in Dundee.	250	N/A	196
				TOTAL	£4,008

Director of Neighbourhood Resources and Development

Date