

REPORT TO: FINANCE COMMITTEE - 10 NOVEMBER 2003
REPORT ON: RELIEF OF RATES - CHARITY RELIEF
REPORT BY: DEPUTE CHIEF EXECUTIVE (FINANCE)
REPORT NO: 703-2003

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

The purpose of the report is to seek authorisation from the Committee to grant Charity Relief on Non Domestic properties in respect of the applications attached.

2.0 RECOMMENDATION

That the Council agrees to grant Remission of Rates as detailed on the attached report.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

This Council directly incurs the cost of 25% of the amount granted as Discretionary Relief apart from that which is granted to Sports Clubs which is 100% funded from the Non Domestic Rates pool.

4.0 AGENDA 21

None

5.0 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS

None

6.0 MAIN TEXT

The Council agreed to accept Report 149/1996 in respect of the granting of Charity Relief on Non Domestic property. This report makes recommendations based on that agreed policy.

7.0 CONSULTATION

The Chief Executive and Depute Chief Executive (Support Services) have been consulted on the contents of this report.

8.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

No background papers, as defined by Section 50D of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (other than containing confidential or exempt information) were relied on to any material extent in preparing the above report.

David K Dorward
Depute Chief Executive (Finance)

Date 3 November 2003

DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL**FINANCE COMMITTEE****REPORT BY DEPUTE CHIEF EXECUTIVE (FINANCE)****SUBJECT:**

APPLICANT	SUBJECTS	UNIFIED BUSINESS RATE PAYABLE £	REMARKS	RECOMMENDATION	ANNUAL COST TO COUNCIL £
Fairbridge in Scotland T/A Fairbridge in Dundee	1B Kemback Street Dundee (Warerhouse)	£5668.09 (28.08.03 to 31.03.04)	Work with excluded young people aged 13 - 25 years. Helping them develop confidence and motivation and to take charge of their own development.	Grant 20% Discretionary Relief in addition to 80% Mandatory Relief.	£283.40
Tayside Council on Alcohol	32 Cowgate Dundee (Office)	£1558.30 (01.07.02 to 31.03.03) £2109.64 (01.04.03 to 31.03.04)	Providing support, education and information to anyone whose life is affected by Alcohol misuse	Grant 20% Discretionary Relief in addition to 80% Mandatory Relief.	£ 77.92 £105.48

NOTE: Only "Registered" Charities have been recommended for Mandatory Relief

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