

9 DUNDEE TSUNAMI APPEAL FUND (AN104-2005)

As members may be aware from press reports, an appeal fund has been set up to give Dundee citizens an opportunity to contribute to the relief work going on both now and in the longer term in the areas affected by the Tsunami which followed the earthquake in the Indian Ocean on 26th December, 2005.

The Dundee Tsunami Appeal Fund has been set up as a Company Limited by Guarantee to administer the Fund and its activities. Mr S Brymer of Thorntons, WS is a Director and the Lord Provost and Councillor Shimi have also accepted invitations to become Directors of the Company as has the Depute Chief Executive (Finance) Mr David Dorward. All three will be acting in a private capacity, and not in their City Council roles, but the Committee is asked to note that the Fund will be given limited assistance by the appeal and in servicing its meetings, by the Finance and Support Services Departments.