

(b) CITY ENGINEER (AN181-2007)

(i) Swimming Pool Cover Works 2007

The Committee is asked to note for information that strengthening works to the pool cover support assemblies require to be carried out at Baldragon Academy, Braeview Academy, Craigie High, Harris Academy, Kingspark, Lawside Academy and Menzieshill High School. The works need to be carried out whilst the schools are unoccupied during the summer holiday period. There was insufficient time between the June Education Committee and the school summer holidays to allow the contractor to order materials and sufficiently plan the works. The Chief Executive accepted the most favourable tender for the works, as recommended by the City Engineer.

Valid tenders were returned by three contractors ranging from £3,720 to £9,784. The lowest tender from Forge Leisure Ltd of £3,720 was accepted. Allowances of £3,000 for professional fees and contingencies were added giving a total expenditure of £6,720.

The Depute Chief Executive (Finance) confirms that funding is available from the Education Department Capital Budget 2007/08.