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4 CITY REGION PLANNING - REPRESENTATION ON JOINT STRUCTURE PLAN PANEL (AN 245-2006)

Reference is made to Article IV of the minute of meeting of the Planning and Transportation Committee of 13th February 2006 wherein the new Planning Bill was approved. It was noted that the constituent authorities for the proposed Dundee City Region Strategic Development Plan are Dundee City, Angus, Fife and Perth and Kinross Councils.

Discussions between relevant officers of these authorities have taken place with a view to the necessary preparatory work for the new strategic planning system. The current body responsible for this area's strategic planning function is the Dundee and Angus Structure Plan Panel and it is proposed that this body be temporarily reconvened to oversee this preparatory work and that Fife and Perth and Kinross Councils be invited to participate in the Panel's considerations.

The Sub-Committee is therefore asked to agree to reconvene the Structure Plan Panel and its instructions are requested regarding the appointment of this Council's four representatives.