

## **17 DUNDEE LOCAL PLAN REVIEW - PUBLIC LOCAL INQUIRY (AN275-2004)**

The Review of the Dundee Local Plan is well on target for adoption early next year having completed a Public Local Inquiry (PLI) into objections to the Plan in early June. The PLI was completed exactly on schedule, despite being the biggest in Dundee since 1996.

Lasting for 6 weeks and conducted by 2 Scottish Executive Reporters working in tandem to speed up proceedings, the Inquiry considered 170 objections covering 35 topics.

The Reporters will now consider the evidence in placed before the Inquiry before issuing their findings, expected in December this year. The Council will then decide on possible modifications to the Plan as a result before moving to adopt it.

The adoption of the Dundee Local Plan Review will complete the updating of the Development Plan for Dundee City, the Dundee and Angus Structure Plan having been approved by Scottish Ministers in October 2002, and clear the way for the commencement of preparation of a new Dundee City Region Plan in line with the Scottish Executive's review of the Planning System.