20 DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL (MURRAY STREET, DUNDEE) (PROHIBITION OF DRIVING) ORDER 2004 (AN41-2004)

Reference is made to Article VIII of the minute of meeting of this Committee of 30th June 2003 instructing and authorising the preparation of an Order to improve safety by removing a junction with poor sightlines and a steep gradient. This is now more relevant with the proposed increase in housing off Murray Street as a result of the development of the Mayfield site.

It is reported that the proposed Order was duly drafted and during the statutory consultation period no adverse comments were received.

It was a condition not only of the of the planning consent but of the Scottish Executive that as part of the Mayfield housing development that the junction be closed. The Planning and Transportation Committee granted consent for development on 31st March 2003. This meeting followed advertising of the development proposals and discussed comments received about the development. Only one of the objectors to the development raised points relative to traffic in Murray Street.

The Order was duly advertised and six objections were received. Copy correspondence is available in the Members' Lounge and from Group Secretaries.

The Committee is requested to make the Order despite the objections.