8(c) V&A DUNDEE; CHARLES RENNIE MACKINTOSH OAK ROOM (AN92-2017)

Reference is made to the meeting of this Committee on 26th June, 2017 (Article XIV refers) whereby the Committee agreed to accept the tender by Charles Taylor Woodwork & Design Ltd for the Conservation and Restoration of the Charles Rennie Mackintosh Oak Room to be displayed at the V&A Dundee.

The proposal was for a partial reconstruction of the room on the basis that the remaining works would become a living and working conservation project and that the work would proceed as and when further funds became available to Design Dundee Ltd.

The additional works will be funded by Design Dundee Ltd through private donations, grants from the UK Government and the Art Fund. There is an opportunity to include the remaining works within the current contract with Charles Taylor Woodwork & Design Ltd for an additional sum of £441,317.

There will be no financial implications for the Council arising from this proposal.

The Committee's authority is sought be proceed as outlined above.