

4 DUNDEE PORT ACCESS IMPROVEMENTS - LEGAL AGREEMENT WITH FORTH PORTS (AN95-2012)

Reference is made to Article XV of the City Development Committee of 22nd June, 2011 where tender acceptance for these works was approved. In order to complete the construction of the new improved access road from Dundee Port to the Stannergate Bridge, Forth Ports required Dundee City Council to enter into a legal agreement with them for the construction of a temporary access road for construction traffic and emergency vehicles through the Port.

Given the limited timescales available and after consultation with the Convener and Group Spokespersons, authority was given for terms and conditions to be agreed with Forth Ports by the Head of Democratic and Legal Services in consultation with the City Engineer and Director of Corporate Services and to sign the Agreement on behalf of the Council.

Dundee City Council were required to meet the reasonable legal costs associated with these Agreements. The Director of Corporate Services advises that these costs can be met from the allowances within Tender Report No 319-2011.

Committee is asked to note the foregoing for information.