

6 HOUSING DEPARTMENT - HOMELESS ASSESSMENT/STRATEGY TEAM - EXTENSION OF FIXED TERM POSTS (AN35-2005)

Reference is made to Article VIII of the minute of meeting of the Personnel and Management Services Committee of 14th January, 2004 which approved the establishment of a number of posts for a period of 12 months in order to implement the homelessness provisions of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2001.

Reference is also made to Articles VIII and VI of the minutes of meetings of 10th March 2003 and 9th February 2004, wherein the Committee approved the extension of these posts until 31st March 2005, following additional funding from the Scottish Executive.

The Scottish Executive has now allocated further funding and, accordingly, the Committee is asked to approve the further extension of the following posts in the Homeless Assessment/Strategy Team until 31st March 2006: -

Principal Housing Officer, graded PO3-6 (£26,250 - £28,578);
Senior Housing Officer, graded AP5 (£22,398 - £24,396);
Housing Officer, graded AP3 (£17,340 - £19,029);
Clerical Officer, graded GS3 (£13,650 - £14,211).

All costs will be met from the specific grant awarded by the Scottish Executive. There are no implications for the Housing Revenue Account or Council Tax.