

## 2 DUNDEE PUBLIC HOLIDAYS 2003 (AN61-2002)

Reference is made to Article II of the minute of meeting of the City Council of 11th February 2002 wherein consideration was given to fixing the undernoted dates in accordance with the usual custom practice.

New Year's Day Holiday	1st January, 2003
Spring Holiday	7th April, 2003
May Holiday	5th May, 2003
Victoria Day	26th May, 2003
Annual Trades Holiday commencing	28th July, 2003
Autumn Holiday	6th October, 2003
Christmas Day Holiday	25th December, 2003
Boxing Day Holiday	26th December, 2003

The Council agreed to defer consideration of this matter to enable consultation to take place regarding a proposal from Councillor FitzPatrick that the Victoria Day public holiday be deleted from the above list and that it be replaced with a public holiday to mark St Andrew's Day.

The undernoted responses have been received.

- (1) letter dated 4th April, 2002 from Dundee Trades Union Council. (Copy enclosed).
- (2) letter dated 24th April, 2002 from Ray Malone, Branch Secretary, Unison

"... I confirm that Unison Dundee City Branch are not in agreement with the proposal to replace the Victoria Day public holiday with a public holiday to mark St Andrew's day and wish the status quo to remain."

The Council's instructions are requested.