DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL

REPORT TO: Personnel and Management Services Committee - 13 January

2003

REPORT ON: Planning and Transportation Department - Changes to Career

Grade Structure

REPORT BY: Director of Planning and Transportation and Director of

Personnel and Management Services

REPORT NO: 6-2003

1 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 To report on proposed changes to the career grade structure for staff that are affiliated with or are members of the Chartered Institute of Transport and/or the Institute of Logistics and Transport to ensure compatibility of professional qualifications within the Planning and Transportation Department.

2 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

2.1 It is recommended that the Committee approve the proposed new career grade structure as detailed in Appendix 1.

3 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The costs of implementing this part of the Department's Career Grade Structure are minimal and will be met from within the Planning and Transportation Department's Revenue Budget allocation.

4 LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATIONS

4.1 There are no Local Agenda 21 implications.

5 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS

5.1 There are no equal opportunities implications.

6 BACKGROUND

- 6.1 On 11 February 2002, the Personnel and Management Services Committee approved Report No. 38-2002, which recommended a new career grade structure for the Planning and Transportation Department. There were two reasons for this new career structure:-
 - The Institution of Civil Engineers had recently amended their routes to membership.
 - The Roads and Transportation Division, whilst having at its core staff from a civil engineering background, also has staff from differing professional institutes (Institution of Electrical Engineers; Institute of Lighting Engineers; Institute of Highways and Transportation; Institute of Logistics and Transport; Chartered Institute of Transport) and the review ensured compatibility between professional qualifications.
- 6.2 However, at the time of reporting Report No. 38-2002 to Committee, advice was not available from the Institute of Logistics and Transport and the Chartered Institute of Transport and the new career grade structure omitted these institutes. It was stated that a further report would follow once advice had been received from both these institutes.
- 6.3 Advice has now been received and Appendix 1 shows the proposed career grade structure for the Institution of Logistics and Transport and the Chartered Institute of Transport to ensure compatibility between all Roads and Transportation Division staff.

7 **CONSULTATIONS**

7.1 The Chief Executive, Director of Support Services, Director of Finance, and the relevant Trade Unions have been consulted and are in agreement with the contents of this report.

8 BACKGROUND PAPERS

- 8.1 The following background papers have been used in preparing this report:-
 - Report No. 38-2002, Planning and Transportation Career Grade Structure and Staffing Structure.

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Appendix 1 – Proposed Career Grade Structure – ILT and CIT

Post Title		Grade	SCP	Salary 01/03/2002	Professional Qualifications		Minimum Experience/Academic Qualifications	
					Degree Route	Non Degree Route	Degree Route	Non Degree Route
Team Leader		PO14 PO13 PO12	48 47 46	33,224 32,432 31,721			10 yrs experience (5yrs post	10yrs experience (5yrs post
		PO11	45	31,004	MCIT	MCIT	membership)	membership
Senior Transport Officer		PO10 PO9 P08 PO7	44 43 42 41	30,323 29,603 28,904 28,187	MCIT	MCIT	6yrs experience (3yrs post membership)	6yrs experience (3yrs post membership)
Transport Officer		PO4 PO3 PO2 PO1	38 37 36 35	25,976 25,241 24,545 23,930	MCIT	MCIT	Exemp Degree	ILT Advanced Diploma + 5yrs experience
	Transport Co-ords	T5 AP5/T5	34 33 32 31	23,459 22,817 22,166 21,536		MILT	Exemp and Non Exemp Degree + 10yrs experience	ILT Diploma + 1yr experience Or ILT Certificate + 3yrs experience
		AP4/T4 AP4/T4	30 29 28 27	20,897 20,237 19,484 18,878				CPC + 10yrs experience
		T3 AP3 T3	26 25 24 23 22	18,296 17,732 17,207 16,673 16,217				15yrs experience
			21 20	15,815 15,389			Exemp Degree	
		AP2 T2	19 18 17	15,084 14,618 14,240			Non Exemp Degree	CPC
		T1 AP1	16 15 14	13,976 13,664 13,361				
		GS3/T1 GS2	13 12	13,124 12,899				
		GS1	3	9,680	1			18yrs old