

COUNCIL MEETING – 15th JANUARY 2014

NOTICE OF:	Reference No:	Date Received:	Date Forwarded:
White Paper	WP3	06/01/2014	06/01/2014

Submitted by:	Councillor David Blackburn
Relevant Board/Regulatory Panel:	Executive Board
Executive Member/Chair:	Cllr Mark Dobson, Executive Member for Environment
Relevant Director	Neil Evans, Director of Environment and Neighbourhoods

Council believes that much has been done in recent years through schemes such as Wrap Up Leeds to deal with domestic energy efficiency. It also notes with regret that the Leeds City Council programme of domestic energy activities has been adversely affected by major changes to the way the Energy Company Obligation (ECO) operates, that were announced in the Chancellor’s Autumn Statement.

Council believes that Leeds still has a long way to go to effectively deal with fuel poverty caused by homes with low-energy efficiency and calls on the Chief Executive to request that the Secretary of State for Energy and Climate Change meets with an all-party delegation, so the case can be put for resources being made available to resolve some of these issues.

Council also requests that the Chief Executive writes to all Leeds MPs asking them for their support in this matter.

* Director to provide a copy of draft reply to Kevin Tomkinson, Governance Services by: n/a

Deadlines for submission

White Papers	- *10.00 am on the day before the issue of the Summons
Back Bench Community Concerns	- *10.00 am on the day before the issue of the Summons
Questions	- 10.00 am on Monday prior to meeting
Amendments (including references back)	- 1.30 pm on Tuesday prior to meeting

(All submissions should be made to Governance Services for receipt to be recorded and distribution made)

*Usually the Monday of the week prior to a Wednesday meeting.

Distribution: Lord Mayor, Group Leaders, Whips, Deputy Leader, Executive Councillors, Chief Executive, Assistant Chief Executive (Corporate Strategy and Customer Access), City Solicitor, Deputy Chief Executive, Relevant Chair and Director.