

## SEDGEFIELD BOROUGH COUNCIL

### EMPLOYMENT ISSUES PANEL

Conference Room 2,  
Council Offices,  
Spennymoor

Friday,  
9 September 2005

Time: 10.00 a.m.

**Present:** Councillor M. Iveson (Chairman) and  
Councillors Mrs. A.M. Armstrong, A. Gray, G.C. Gray, A. Hodgson and  
Mrs. C. Sproat

**Apologies:** Councillors J.M. Smith

**EIP.1/05            DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**  
Members had no interest to declare.

**EIP.2/05            MINUTES**  
The Minutes of the meeting held on 11<sup>th</sup> March 2005 were confirmed as a  
correct record and signed by the Chairman.

#### **EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

*RESOLVED:*            *That in accordance with Section 100(a)(4) of the  
Local Government Act 1972 the press and public be  
excluded from the meeting for the following item of  
business on the grounds that it involves the likely  
disclosure of exempt information as defined in  
Paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12a of the Act.*

**EIP.3/05            REQUEST FOR EARLY RETIREMENT**  
Consideration was given to a report prepared by SOLACE Enterprises  
regarding a request received to retire early under the 'Rule of 85' (for copy  
see file of Minutes).

*RESOLVED :*            *That Council be recommended to approve the  
request.*

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