

SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

COUNCIL MEETING – 17TH JULY, 2024

ITEM 11 – ORDER OF NOTICES OF MOTION AT COUNCIL MEETINGS IN THE MUNICIPAL YEAR 2024-25

Motion:-

It is to be moved by Councillor Paul Turpin, seconded by Councillor Dianne Hurst, that:-

Further to Council Procedure Rule 10.2, and having regard to the fact that the order for this meeting had been determined as Labour / Lib Dem / Green / Sheffield Community Councillors, the order in which Notices of Motion shall be listed on the Summons for the remaining five ordinary meetings of the Council in the Municipal Year 2024-25 shall be as follows:-

4 September 2024 – LibDem / Green / Labour / Labour / Cllr Al-Ahdal

2 October 2024 – Labour / LibDem / Labour / LibDem

6 November 2024 – Green / Labour / LibDem / Labour

4 December 2024 – LibDem / Labour / Labour / LibDem

5 February 2025 – Labour / Sheff Community Councillors / LibDem / Green

Amendment:-

It is to be moved by Councillor Mary Lea, seconded by Councillor Fran Belbin, that the motion now submitted be amended by the deletion of all the words after the word “that:-” and the addition of the following words:-

“this Council:-

(a) believes that Council Procedure Rule (CPR) 10.2 which states “Provision shall also be made for the inclusion of any individual Motions that are not submitted through the recognised Groups” is unclear in its meaning;

(b) notes that a group, by definition, is more than one member, and believes that the provision for Members who are not part of a recognised group to submit a motion for debate at Full Council must be more clearly defined;

(c) requests that following liaison with Group Whips, the Monitoring Officer brings back a report to the next Full Council meeting suggesting any amendments to the Council Procedure Rules to provide for a more precise and unambiguous definition of how individual motions that are not submitted through the recognised groups should be accommodated within the formula for the order of notice of motions, as well as providing different options regarding formulas; and

(d) resolves that (i) the order in which Notices of Motion shall be listed on the Summons for the ordinary meeting of the Council on 4th September 2024 shall be Lib Dem, Green, Labour, Labour and (ii) the order of motions for subsequent Full Council meetings in the municipal year 2024/25 shall be determined by Full Council following consideration of the above-mentioned report of the Monitoring Officer.