

Item 11 - Question Time

Response to Mrs D MacKay

The Council is limited by legislation from requiring all suppliers to pay the Living Wage. However, work is being undertaken by the Finance Service to consider how the assessment process used during procurement can be used to promote payment of the Living Wage thereby offering an incentive to potential suppliers.

The Administration is committed to paying the Living Wage to its own employees and to finding ways to incentivise suppliers to do the same.