COUNCIL				
Report Title	Motion 4 in the name of Councillor Bell to be seconded by Councillor Curran			
Key Decision	n/a			Item No.
Ward	n/a			
Contributors	Chief Executive (Head of Business & Committee)			
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[&]quot;This Council demands that Southern Railway has its franchise removed by HM Government. Over the last three months, the "temporary" problems with the service are still not being resolved. Passengers are left stranded, late picking-up their children and some cases left without a job. Meanwhile the government is taking no action except to reward failure by:

- Allowing Southern to introduce an emergency timetable, cutting 341 trains per day. That is 15% of their network
- Increasing the number of cancellations they are allowed without penalty."