HOUSING SELECT COMMITTEE			
Report Title	Use of temporary accommodation for homeless households		
Key Decision	Yes	Item No.	3
Ward	All		l
Contributors	Executive Director Customer Services		
Class	Part 1 Date: 4 February 2013		

1. Reason for Urgency

The report has not been available for 5 clear working days before the meeting and the Chair is asked to accept it as an urgent item. The report was not available for despatch on 24 January due to final detail still being awaited for inclusion. The report cannot wait until the next meeting as the information was requested by the committee at their meeting on 8 January.

2. Purpose

This report informs the Housing Select Committee on current policy regarding homeless acceptances into temporary accommodation, the number of households currently in temporary accommodation and details of the forthcoming capital works to the council's hostel stock.

3. Recommendation

Members are recommended to note the contents of the report