

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

**MEMBERS' SERVICES AND CIVIC CEREMONIAL SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE
POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE – 31 JANUARY 2001**

**ADLO BUILDING SERVICES ANNUAL SEMINAR
6 - 9 FEBRUARY 2001, PEEBLES**

Report by the Director of Homes and Technical Services

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To request that the Sub-Committee consider attendance at the Annual Conference of the Scottish ADLO Building Services.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 Scottish ADLO have advised authorities that the annual conference of the institute will take place in Peebles Hydro on 6th to 9th February 2001. The theme of the conference is "Public Sector Housing What Future?" and the programme has been structured to include specialist sessions on a range of current issues in addition to keynote speakers.
- 2.2 In particular the conference will address issues arising out of the Housing Bill, currently before the Scottish Parliament, and will also concentrate on matters arising out of Stock Transfer.
- 2.3 Accordingly the conference this year is considered to be particularly relevant to Officers and Elected Members who are involved in building services and will afford delegates the opportunity to examine the way ahead for DLO'S.
- 2.4 There are a range of ADLO conferences held throughout the year but it has been the practice to restrict attendance to the two conferences which offer the maximum advantage to the Authority and the Building and Works Division. The ADLO Building Services Annual Seminar is one of the two where representation is recommended.

3. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 3.1 The delegate fee for this conference is £360.

4. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 4.1** It is considered that the conference would be of benefit to the Council and therefore request approval to attend.

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JW/PS
25 January 2001

LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

1. Conference Brochure from the ADLO Building Services Annual Seminar.

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AGENDA