COUNCIL MEETING - 15TH DECEMBER 2011

Extract from the Minutes of the Strategic Planning Board Meeting on 9th November 2011

NOTICE OF MOTION: PLANNING PERMISSION FOR SOLAR PANELS

Consideration was given to a Notice of Motion which had been submitted by Councillor D Brickhill at the Council meeting on 13 October which was referred to the Strategic Planning Board for advice and report back to Council for decision in December.

"That since the government is running the Photovoltaic roof panel scheme for householders to generate green electricity and have exempted this from all planning permission requirements, that this Council notify any enquirers that planning permission is not required and cease to require details, drawings or charges except for listed buildings or conservation areas for which permission is still required"

RESOLVED

That the report be noted and that Council be recommended to continue to adopt the approach as advocated within the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order.