

To the Office of the Borough Solicitor and Monitoring Officer:-

Notice of Motion under Standing Order 12

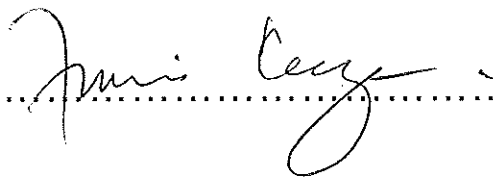
Notice is hereby given of the intention to move the following on 24th February 2009 at the meeting of Council:

"That this Council deprecates the Government's proposed five percent rise in the business rate for the year 2009/10, made while calling for Council Tax rises substantially below five percent.

Further, that this Council regrets that its efforts to consult with local businesses on ways to mitigate the effects of the current harsh recession are thereby undermined.

And further, that the Chief Executive be directed to write to the Minister to express our concerns and urge that the matter be reconsidered."

Signed:



13/2/09