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RENEWAL, RECREATION AND HOUSING POLICY DEVELOPMENT AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Meeting to be held on Wednesday 16 November 2022

**12b APPENDIX A - PUBLIC QUESTIONS TO THE RENEWAL,
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NON-SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

(A) QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN REPLY

From Dermot Mckibbin to the Portfolio Holder for Renewal, Recreation and Housing

1. What are the implications for the Portfolio Plan of the Levelling Up Bill's proposals for the private rented sector and does the Council support these proposals?

Reply:

The findings of the current Inquiry will be considered once concluded and published to assess whether there are potential implications arising which may directly impact upon the work areas contained in the Portfolio Plan

SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

(B) QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN REPLY

From Councillor Alisa Igoe to the Portfolio Holder for Renewal, Recreation and Housing

In relation to Item 6a: Housing, Planning and Regeneration Portfolio Plan Update – 2022/23 Q2 Update:

1. Reference: Page 27, Portfolio Plan – Allocations scheme – “Reviewing the existing allocations scheme and consulting on changes that need to be introduced.”

On 24 October a report appeared in the national press that Bromley families were being offered housing in Northampton and Birmingham families were being placed in Bromley. Could the Portfolio Holder please tell me the longest distance in miles away from the borough that any Bromley family has been placed in 2020/21, the reasons for this, did the family have children of school age and why another local authority has been able to place a family in Bromley, presumably in accommodation that we may have been able to bid for? Thank you.

Reply:

Work is underway to compile a comprehensive answer and this will be circulated to the Committee and published on the Bromley website shortly.

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