

LONDON BOROUGH OF BRENT

At the **ANNUAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL** of the **LONDON BOROUGH OF BRENT** held at Brent Town Hall Forty Lane, Wembley, Middlesex on **Wednesday, 12th May 2004 at 7.00 pm**

PRESENT:

The Worshipful the Mayor
Councillor A Shahzad

The Deputy Mayor
Councillor C Moloney

COUNCILLORS:

Allie	Kagan
Arnold	Kansagra
Bellia	Lemmon
Beswick	D Long
R Blackman	Lorber
D Brown	Lyon
V Brown	McGovern
Chavda	Moher
N Colwill	Nerva
R Colwill	O'Sullivan
Coughlin	B M Patel
Crane	C J Patel
Cribbin	H M Patel
Dromey	H B Patel
Duffin	R S Patel
Farrell	Rands
Fiegel	Sattar-Butt
Fox	Sengupta
Freeson	Shah
Gillani	Ms Shaw
Gladbaum	Singh
Halder	Steel
Harrod	Taylor
Hughes	Thomas
John	Thompson
Jones	Van Colle
Joseph	Wharton
Kabir	Zakriya

Brent Citizenship Awards

Prior to the formal business of the meeting the outgoing Mayor, Councillor Lemmon, presented awards to the following people in recognition of their voluntary service within the borough:

Anthony Peters
Cornelius Mereweather Thompson
David Chellew
Eileen Sabur
Frank Ashleigh
George Borgeat
Harshadbhai M Desai
Iris Ann Prince
Jay Lakhani
Jayraj Bhadranwala
Kathleen Lillian Ellison
Martin John Wells
Mohammad Aslam Choudry
Pauline Mary Webb
Ratilal Shah
Samir Mitra
Under 21:
Franklin Asante
Geneve Lumsden
Simone Allen
Stephen Amissah

(At the conclusion of the presentation of the Citizenship Awards all Liberal Democrat Councillors present left the meeting).

1. Election of Mayor

The Worshipful the Mayor (Councillor Lemmon) welcomed all members present. He then called for nominations for the office of the Mayor of the Borough for the municipal year 2004/2005.

Councillor John nominated Councillor Shahzad and was seconded by Councillor Moher. Councillor Taylor nominated Councillor Fiegel and was seconded by Councillor Rands. A vote was thereupon taken, 32 members voted for Councillor Shahzad and 14 members voted for Councillor Fiegel.

RESOLVED:

that Councillor Shahzad be, and he is hereby elected, Mayor of the London Borough of Brent, for the municipal year 2004/2005.

Councillor Shahzad read and signed the statutory declaration of acceptance of office of Mayor.

Councillor Lemmon then invested the Mayor with the Mayoral Chain and Badge of Office, and invested the new Mayor's Consort with his Badge of Office. Councillor Lemmon thereupon vacated the Chair which was taken by the newly elected Mayor. The Mayor then thanked members of the Council for his election and addressed the Council.

The Mayor then invited Councillor Lyon to move the following motion which was seconded by Councillor Kansagra.

RESOLVED:

that the Council place on record their thanks and regard for the outstanding public service rendered by the co-opted members, independent members, observers and others who have served on Council Committees, Sub-Committees, Consultative Committees, Boards, Governing Bodies, etc during the past municipal year.

The Mayor informed the Council that his charities for the year would be the Pak-UK Women and Children's Hospital in Pakistan and The Paul Daisley Trust.

2. Vote of Thanks to the Retiring Mayor

RESOLVED:

that the Council records its appreciation of the outstanding service rendered by Councillor Lemmon as Mayor of the London Borough of Brent during the past municipal year and for the manner in which he has presided over Council meetings. The Council also appreciates his attendance at a vast number of community events and functions and his service to all sections of Brent's diverse community.

The Mayor invested Councillor Lemmon with the past Mayor's Badge and the Mayor's Consort invested the retiring Mayoress with the past Mayoress' Badge.

Councillor Lemmon returned thanks, reviewed his year of office and thanked staff, colleagues and his wife for the support that he had received during his term.

3. Appointment of Deputy Mayor

The Mayor informed the Council that he had appointed Councillor Moloney to be Deputy Mayor of the London Borough of Brent for the municipal year 2004/2005. The Deputy Mayor having

taken his place on the rostrum was invested by the Mayor with his Chain and Badge of Office. The Deputy Mayor's Consort having taken his place on the rostrum was invested by the Mayor's Consort with his Chain and Badge of Office.

4. **Apologies for Absence**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Mrs N Blackman, Davies, Mrs Fernandes, J Long and Sayers.

5. **Minutes of Previous Meeting**

RESOLVED:

that the minutes of the Ordinary meeting of the Council held on 19th April 2004 be confirmed as a true and accurate record, subject to reference to the Housing Diversity and Urban Impact Task Group in the Report from the Chair of Overview Committee being amended to read Housing Density and Urban Impact Task Group.

The meeting ended at 9.33 pm

A SHAHZAD
Mayor

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