LONDON BOROUGH OF BRENT COUNCIL MEETING – 22nd JANUARY 2007

Items Selected by Non-Executive Members under Standing Order 39

(a) From Councillor Malik

The Kingsbury Pool Site

Long before I became a member of this Council members of the Council agreed to sell the Kingsbury Pool site for a leisure complex with charges comparable to those in place at other local leisure centres.

None of the recommendations for the Kingsbury Pool site were acted upon and I urge the Executive to look into revising their strategy for a leisure complex on this site, particularly as there are many new houses that have been built in the area but nowhere for our residents to spend their leisure time.

(b) From Councillor J Moher

Dangerous dogs

In November 2006, the Mayor called on the Administration to consider new bye laws to deal with dangerous dogs. Since then St Helens toddler Ellie Lawrenson has been tragically killed by a pit bull terrier and her grandmother was seriously injured. The majority of decent dog owners are appalled that some people keep dangerous dogs in lieu of an offensive weapon and Labour MP's Louise Ellman and Bob Wareing have called for the law to be tightened.

I call upon the Executive to take urgent action to minimise the threat posed to Brent residents by dangerous dogs.

(c) From Councillor Shaw

Speeding traffic in The Avenue, Brondesbury Park.

Residents have been concerned for some considerable time about the speed of vehicles using The Avenue in Brondesbury Park.

I ask the Executive to bring forward measures to reduce the danger and nuisance caused by this.