

15. HIGHER SALARIES COMMISSION ELECTED MEMBERS' REMUNERATION PACKAGE

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The purpose of this report is to seek the Board's approval of a submission to the Higher Salaries Commission on its proposed new elected members' remuneration package.

The Higher Salaries Commission released a discussion paper on the proposed remuneration package in April. Submissions close on 31 May 2002.

Members have had an opportunity to express their views on the proposals at a Council briefing seminar on 26 April. Each Community Board is able to make a submission to the Commission. The discussion document has been referred to the Council's Legislation Subcommittee, for a subsequent report to the Council meeting on 23 May 2002, via the Strategy and Finance Committee.

The Chairperson has drafted the attached submission for consideration by the Board.

Recommendation: That the Board adopt a submission to the Higher Salaries Commission on the Discussion Paper on Elected Member Remuneration Framework.

Chairperson's Recommendation: That the abovementioned recommendation be adopted.