18. CORRESPONDENCE

RICHMOND NEIGHBOURHOOD COTTAGE INC – REQUEST FOR FUNDING

The Board considered a letter requesting funding of \$1,118 from the Richmond Neighbourhood Cottage Inc. This sum represented the amount paid by the Richmond Neighbourhood Cottage Committee in legal fees to Buddle Findlay for assistance in preparing a case to the Environment Court opposing a Department of Corrections application to have the Cottage Committee's appeal to the Environment Court struck out.

The Board **resolved** to make a grant of \$1,000 towards the Richmond Neighbourhood Cottage Committee's legal expenses from the Board's 1999/2000 Discretionary Fund.

Aaron O'Brien declared an interest in this matter and took no part in the discussion and voting on this clause.