3. REGIONAL RECYCLING INITIATIVES

The Subcommittee received a verbal feedback on the progress made on exploring options for regional co-ordination of recycling initiatives by Mr Graeme King, CEO, Recovered Materials Foundation.

The briefing resulted from the decision at the 14 May 2001 meeting of the Subcommittee to hold a workshop comprising staff and elected representatives to clarify issues raised on regional initiatives for waste minimisation.

Copies of the proceedings of the two workshops held on 1 June and 3 July were circulated at the meeting and Mr King provided a presentation identifying the levels of service and the options for local and regional initiatives.

It was noted that a further workshop would be held and that the matter would be further reported to the August meeting of the Subcommittee.

The opportunity was taken for discussion in particular on services at the local/rural levels in respect to greenwaste disposal and car crushing.

The Subcommittee **received** the information.