



8. CORRESPONDENCE

The Committee **received** a response from the Minister of Corrections concerning the Council's representations on the Community Probation Service Centre at 232 Stanmore Road.

The Minister signalled that while the site is serving as a probation office only at this stage, he is advised that the Department of Corrections is planning for the foreseeable future on utilising the space designated within the building for periodic detention as office space to complement the existing probation office function.

The Minister concluded by stating that in the event the Department sees fit some time in the future to revisit this matter, the Council can be assured that the Department's policy of consulting with citizens will be an integral part of that process.