

7. CANTERBURY JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE - CONSTITUTING AGREEMENT

Zefanja Potgieter, Resource Planner Solid Waste, Christchurch City Council, City Water and Waste Unit, provided a brief oral report on the possible implications of the new Local Government Act 2002 with respect to the new Constituting Agreement for the Canterbury Joint Standing Committee that had now been adopted by most member councils. He indicated that it would be prudent to re-examine the new Constituting Agreement to ensure its compliance with that Act as it would seem to be in conflict with some clauses and it was suggested that Buddle Findlay and Co, who had assisted in the preparation of the revised agreement, be requested to undertake this review.

The Subcommittee **resolved** that Buddle Findlay and Co be asked to review the revised Constituting Agreement and recommend any changes as a result of the Local Government Act 2002.