2. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

2.1 YOUTH DEVELOPMENT FUND – REPORT BACK

Dale Clark reported to the Board on his trip to Brazil to train and compete at the Del Ponte Futsal Centre of Excellence.

At the conclusion of questions from members, the Chairperson thanked Dale for his presentation and for sharing his experiences with the Board.

2.2 BECKENHAM NEIGHBOURHOOD ASSOCIATION

Ms Una O'Grady and Mr Peter Tuffley of the Beckenham Neighbourhood Association presented submissions to the Board regarding ongoing concerns about traffic safety and traffic management issues associated with the Colombo/Tennyson/Strickland Streets intersection.

The submitters each responded to a report from staff on the outcome of investigations undertaken into traffic issues in the Beckenham shopping area previously raised by the Association in August 2005.

Specific points raised by the submitters included a request for clearer signage for vehicles exiting the Hardings Chemist/Post Shop car park onto Colombo Street, an overall lack of consideration shown by motorists towards pedestrians, and a willingness by the Association to participate in any agreed driver/pedestrian education campaign.

At the conclusion of the presentations and questions from members, the Chairperson thanked the representatives for their submissions.

Clause 4 (Part B) of this report records the decisions made by the Board.