

AGENDA ITEM

REPORT TO COUNCIL

3RD SEPTEMBER 2008

**REPORT OF DIRECTOR
OF LAW AND
DEMOCRACY**

Membership of Commemoration Working Group

At the meeting of the Executive Scrutiny Committee held on 10th June 2008 the formalisation of a procedure to commemorate the lives of significant individuals based on their importance, connection and contribution to the Borough of Stockton on Tees was agreed.

Subsequently the Members Advisory Panel held on 20th June 2008 approved the establishment of a small cross party Working Group. The Working Group will comprise of 5 members in accordance with political composition (2 Labour, 1 Conservative, 2 other members derived from the remaining political groups). The Working Group will periodically judge the nominations received.

It was also agreed at the Members Advisory panel that nominations would be sought at the next Council meeting to confirm the appointed members to be appointed to the Working Group.

Following consultation with the relevant Group Leaders the following nominations have been received and the necessary further nominations will be circulated as soon as possible:-

RECOMMENDED that the nominations to the Commemoration Working Group be considered.