

## Call-In

This Call-In is made pursuant to Standing Order 21.3

This Call-In challenges the decision of the Transition Committee of Belfast District Council made on 10 February 2015 under the heading 'Service Convergence - Pricing for Outdoor Leisure'.

On grounds that it is procedurally deficient due to it:

- 1) Creating a separate charging structure for one facility when all other such facilities within the council area operate under a single charging structure and doing so;
  - (a) for no substantive reason, or
  - (b) on no reasonable grounds, or
  - (c) without due or adequate consideration, or
  - (d) without consideration of all relevant or material information or specifically without due consideration of the difference in charges between this centre and every other centre once VAT advantage is applied, or
  - (e) without a due or appropriate or adequate consideration of Equality issues, or
  - (f) without due or adequate consultation, or
  - (g) to the detriment of specific user groups of that centre without due or adequate consideration or due or adequate consultation.
  
- 2) Charging youth teams substantially more to use that facility at peak times than they are charged to use any similar facility within the council area at peak times;
  - (a) for no substantive reason, or
  - (b) on no reasonable grounds, or
  - (c) without due or adequate consideration, or
  - (d) without due consideration of all relevant or material information or specifically without consideration of the level of or the impact on youth team use of the centre, or
  - (e) without a due or appropriate or adequate consideration of Equality issues, or
  - (f) without due or adequate consultation, or
  - (g) contrary to the council's stated policy of increasing youth participation in sport and acting contrary to this policy without due or adequate consideration or due or adequate consultation.

This Call-In is made by: Cllr. Hussey

Supported by the required number of members, being himself and:

Aldermen: Robinson, Kingston, McKee, McCoubrey.  
Councillors: Sandford, Haire, Graham, Spence.

Date: 13 February 2015