

**PETITION REPORT****GREEN GROUP AMENDMENT****HOMELESSNESS POLICY**

To add an additional recommendation 2.2 as follows:

2.2 That Brighton & Hove City Council recommends that Housing & New Homes committee give due consideration to the following:-

- (1) An increase in the frequency of inspections of emergency accommodation and report on the outcome of these inspections at regular intervals to Housing & New Homes Committee;
- (2) That satisfaction surveys are undertaken with residents moving into emergency accommodation and the results reported back;
- (3) Exploring along with other relevant committees as a matter of priority the identification of sites and explore the development of council owned low cost emergency accommodation, either through a council owned company or directly owned by the council. That this exploration focuses on non-traditional, quick to build, construction such as the Y cube and containers be considered for these sites;
- (4) Undertaking a review of the no visitor rules and consider the outcome at a future meeting;
- (5) Adopting a policy of only using emergency accommodation in which hot water supply is guaranteed.

Proposed by: Cllr Gibson

Seconded by: Cllr Druitt

**REVISED RECOMMENDATIONS AS AMENDED****RECOMMENDATION**

- 2.1 That the petition is noted and referred to the Housing & New Homes Committee for consideration at its meeting on the 15<sup>th</sup> June 2016;
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