QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS

7.1 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR BISHOP TO THE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL - COUNCILLOR PUDDIFOOT

Does the Leader of the Council intend to attend the next Older Persons Assembly on September 28th?

7.2 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR JUDITH COOPER TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR EDUCATION AND CHILDREN'S SERVICES – COUNCILLOR SIMMONDS

Can the Cabinet Member for Education and Children's Services tell me what progress has been made with appointing an Independent Chairman for the Local Safeguarding Children's Board?

7.3 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR ELIZABETH KEMP TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR ENVIRONMENT - COUNCILLOR JENKINS

I understand that more of our green spaces have recently been judged for green flag status. Can I ask for an update on the results please?

7.4 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR BARKER TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR PLANNING AND TRANSPORTATION - COUNCILLOR BURROWS

Following a series of accidents and near misses at the junction of Lees Road and Uxbridge Road in Hillingdon and after consultation with ward councillors, residents and the highways department can the Cabinet Member for Planning and Transportation update me on the current position concerning traffic safety measures at this junction?

7.5 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR GARDNER TO THE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL - COUNCILLOR PUDDIFOOT

Does the Leader of the Council share my concern about the threat of the English Defence League and Casuals United to mount an anti-Islamic protest in the nearby Borough of Harrow and will he be taking steps with the Police and others to monitor closely whether they are planning similar activities in our Borough?

7.6 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR MACDONALD TO THE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL - COUNCILLOR PUDDIFOOT

Is the Leader of the Council aware of the newspaper adverts placed by the British Airports Authority for a total of 13 posts to take forward its proposal for a third runway at Heathrow at a cost of three quarter of a million pounds a year?

Also will he join with me in making a public statement to potential applicants on behalf of the affected local communities that we will continue to oppose the building of this runway until it is defeated?

7.7 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR BLISS TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR PLANNING AND TRANSPORTATION - COUNCILLOR BURROWS

The residents of Chatsworth Road have been promised road re-surfacing on a number of occasions, but as yet there is no sign of this starting. Has the starting date for the works been scheduled yet?

7.8 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR JARJUSSEY TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR ENVIRONMENT - COUNCILLOR JENKINS

Will the Cabinet member for the Environment please provide an update for the Council and residents in the south of the Borough about the likely re-opening date for the Rigby Lane rubbish disposal site?

7.9 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR CURLING TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR EDUCATION AND CHILDRENS' SERVICES - COUNCILLOR SIMMONDS

In view of the increase in the number of applications for betting shops in the Borough in recent years, can the Cabinet Member for Education and Childrens' Services tell the Council what action is being taken by his service to alert children and young people to the dangers of gambling?

7.10 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR MAJOR TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR SOCIAL SERVICES, HEALTH AND HOUSING - COUNCILLOR CORTHORNE

In view of the recent tragic fire in Camberwell, can the Cabinet Member for Social Services, Health and Housing assure the Council that the fire safety measures for all blocks of flats under his responsibility are inspected on at least an annual basis and that they contain smoke detection systems, adequate fire doors and emergency lighting on all evacuation routes?

7.11 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR EGINTON TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR SOCIAL SERVICES, HEALTH AND HOUSING - COUNCILLOR CORTHORNE

In view of the recent tragic death of a 50-year old woman in a faulty lift of a East London Council block (Redbridge), can the Cabinet Member for Social Services, Health and Housing assure the Council that all lifts under his responsibility will be routinely inspected and complaints investigated urgently in order to avoid another tragedy?

7.12 QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR DUNCAN TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR ENVIRONMENT - COUNCILLOR JENKINS

In the light of concerns about overfilling of golf courses could we be told the current situation regarding the overfilling of Stockley Golf Course?