

Correspondence with Ministers

Summary

Members are invited to note correspondence with Ministers since the last meeting of the Economy and Transport Programme Board on 20 January 2011. This covers:

- a. Financial assistance to councils to deal with cost of road damage**
Cllr Box to the Rt Hon Philip Hammond MP in response to his letter of 24 January (attached);
- b. Concessionary Travel funding**
Norman Baker MP to Cllr Box in response to his letter of 24 January (attached);
- c. RDA Assets and Liabilities**
Mark Prisk MP to Cllr Box in response to his letter of 28 January (attached);
- d. European Regional Development Fund**
Cllr Box to Baroness Hanham CBE in response to her letter of 13 January (attached) – *Members are meeting the Baroness on 6 April;*
- e. European Social Fund**
The Rt Hon Chris Grayling MP to Cllr Box in response to his letter of 16 December (attached).

Recommendation:

The Board is asked to note the correspondence attached.

Action:

Subject to comment from the Board, officers to take forward any suggested actions.

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