

Report of the Head of Legal Services

8. Notice of Motion

Purpose of report

1. To inform Members of a Notice of Motion received.
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2. The Head of Legal Services has received the following notice of motion standing in the name of Cllr R Udall:
 3. *"Hereford and Worcester Fire Authority calls upon the Government to find a settlement to the long running fire dispute and to return to the negotiating table. The Authority notes that we have so far seen 46 separate periods of industrial action since September 2013 at a cost to the Hereford and Worcester tax payer of over £100,000. This would be better spent on front line fire cover. Hereford and Worcester Fire Authority believes that Fire-fighters with the desire to work to sixty should not be prevented from doing so, provided they are able to satisfy the necessary criteria, but the government should not be forcing fire-fighters without the physical capability to put themselves and others at risk. In such circumstances their pensions should protected."*
 4. In accordance with Standing Order 18.9 the Chairman has indicated that if the motion finds a seconder, he intends to allow this matter to be discussed at the meeting.

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