PLANNING COMMITTEE

Agenda Item 234

Brighton & Hove City Council

Subject: Public Question

Date of Meeting: 17 March 2010

Report of: Director of Strategy & Governance

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Key Decision: No

Wards Affected: Rottingdean Coastal

FOR GENERAL RELEASE

1. SUMMARY AND POLICY CONTEXT:

- 1.1 A question has been received from Miss P E Tompkins of Saltdean in the following terms:
- 1.2 (i) To receive the following question. Miss Tompkins has been invited to attend in person to put her question and on hearing the response will be permitted to ask one supplementary question.
 - "Attractive areas surrounding the town are destroyed by developers interested in their cash return, regardless of the destruction to other people's homes. The impact of close proximity and overshadowing which effects the previous pleasant environment of home owners suddenly faced with such a situation, in short home owners would suffer for the gain of the developer,. as a member of the public it is relevant to ask if the Planning Committee are fully aware of all developments, and if such a situation existed would they stand by the public, their public as elected Councillors? As a Councillor do you consider a developers gains should be placed before the public's environment and the destruction of their homes?"