

QUESTION NO 26

By Councillor Blacklock to be answered by the Convener of the Health, Social Care and Housing Committee at a meeting of the Council on 19 August 2010

- Question** (1) How long on average do people in the City of Edinburgh stay in the Homeless sector?
- Question** (2) Does the Council know how many people currently in the homeless system have been previously discharged from the system within the last 12 months? If so, can this information be provided?
- Question** (3) People who are moved into independent living before they are ready for it may find they are unable to cope and end up becoming homeless again very quickly. What is this Council doing to address this issue often referred to as the "revolving door"?
- Question** (4) How does the Council assess success in moving people from the Homeless sector?
- Question** (5) How will the Council manage the quality of services delivered to ensure effective outcomes for the service users, rather than lowest cost of delivery?