

Item no 5.16

QUESTION NO 16

**By Councillor Hutchison for answer
by the Convener of the Housing and
Economy Committee at a meeting of
the Council on 23 November 2017**

Question (1) Can the Convener provide confirmation that all tower blocks in Muirhouse have been inspected to confirm that all building materials, doors and windows conform to current fire safety regulations?

Answer (1)

Question (2) Can the Convenor provide a timetable for planned improvement works for the tower blocks in Muirhouse?

Answer (2)

Question (3) Does the Convenor acknowledge that the lack of gas central heating in the Muirhouse tower blocks contributes to significantly higher energy costs for residents and as such leads to additional financial pressure on low income households?

Answer (3)

Question (4) Can the Convenor confirm if there any future plans to install gas central heating in the Muirhouse tower blocks?

Answer (4)

Question (5) Can the Convenor provide details of the councils service level agreement for carrying out repairs to the fabric of council housing property and more specifically how this is impacted where hazardous materials e.g. asbestos are involved?

Answer (5)