

QUESTION NO 6

By Councillor Dobbin for answer by the Convener of the Housing, Homelessness and Fair Work Committee at a meeting of the Council on 16 March 2023

The windows replacement programme has been delayed due to non-compliant tenders by several months, resulting in significant delays for council tenants who, over the winter, have had to put up with cold homes or extra costs of heating. Can the convener confirm:

Question (1) What went wrong with the tendering process?

Answer (1)

Question (2) Why were all tenders non compliant?

Answer (2)

Question (3) What lessons have been learned for future tenders to prevent non compliant tenders coming forward?

Answer (3)

Question (4) What is the new timeframe for getting contracts in place?

Answer (4)

Question (5) What is the overall delay to the programme?

Answer (5)

Question (6) Would the Convener commit to circulating a briefing note on this?

Answer (6)