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## Harrow Council for Racial Equality

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Dear Ms. Clark,

Thank you for your letter of the 13<sup>th</sup> August regarding my request for additional funding for the Harrow Council for Racial Equality. As I am sure you are aware, the remit of the HPCCG Racial Harassment Sub-Group was passed over in its entirety to HCRE, as yet without any financial recompense for the services rendered.

Under the terms of this hand-over, HCRE is required to:

- Take from Harrow Police a list of all complainants involved in cases with a racial element, and follow up both in writing and per telephone their satisfaction with the work of the Police in their case;
- Collate and report these results to the Police in a meeting convened specifically for that purpose;
- Present and report results to the Multi-Agency Forum (MAF) and other interested parties;
- Maintain and act upon the calls received on a hotline set up specifically for the use of victims of racial harassment.

Cases arising from these new duties number roughly 25-30 new per month; these are dealt with in addition to the existing caseload at HCRE. I estimate that around 25 hours per month are devoted to the completion of these new duties by HCRE staff, and HCRE also incurs a certain amount of attendant administrative costs.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Prem Pawar

**Director**

cc. Madan Badale (*Chairperson*); John Solomon (*Committee Member*)

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