Response on behalf of Councillor Elizabeth Campbell, Leader of the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea

Solar Panels on Listed Buildings (Motion 1)

Kensington and Chelsea Council welcomes this motion. With our Local Listed Building Consent Order for Solar Panels, we are at the forefront of innovation, empowering residents to green their homes. We believe that conservation and greening can thrive hand in hand, but to do so requires Local Authorities to relinquish the chains of bureaucracy and embrace a culture of bravery. Where Kensington and Chelsea leads, we would encourage other boroughs to follow, and together help with London's transition to Net Zero.

London Weighting Motion

I can confirm that schools maintained by the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea Council have paid both teachers and school support staff on inner London pay scales since 2000.

I therefore support the motion.

It will be key that any changes agreed are fully funded, or schools' financial positions will be affected.