

## **Belfast City Council**

Report to:	Strategic Policy & Resources Committee
Subject:	Smithfield Market Unit Lettings
Date:	22 November 2013
Reporting Officer:	Gerry Millar, Director of Property & Projects, Ext: 6217
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1	Relevant Background Information
1.1	Unit lettings at Smithfield Market
	Functional responsibility for dealing with the property related issues in relation to the letting of units at Smithfield Market rests with the Director of Property and Projects, approval of the letting terms for the units are to be undertaken by him, on the basis that the terms are reported retrospectively to the Strategic Policy and Resources Committee.

2	Key Issues
2.1	The committee is asked to note the letting of units in Smithfield Market as agreed under the delegated authority of the Director of Property and Projects.
2.2	Unit 23 Smithfield Market – Sale of electronic cigarette kits and accessories
	Tenant – Mr James Connolly 4 Hillview Court Belfast BT15 2DY
	Unit Size – 150 sqft Rent - £165.00 per month. Two weeks rent free initially for fit out Term – Tenancy Agreement for six months and monthly thereafter commencing 1 <sup>st</sup> October 2013
2.3	Unit 1 Smithfield Market – Phone Repair Shop
	Tenant - Mr Toufik Tismelane 35 Ashley Avenue Belfast BT9 7BT
	Unit Size – 136 sqft Rent - £155.00 per month. Two weeks rent free initially for fit out Term – Tenancy Agreement for six months and monthly thereafter commencing 1 <sup>st</sup> October 2013
2.4	Unit 13/14 Smithfield Market – Antiques and Collectable Toys

	Tenant - Mr James Gilliland 4 Oranmore Drive Belfast BT11 9LD
	Unit Size – 838 sqft Ground Floor 550 sqft Storage area on upper floor Rent - £750.00 per month. Two weeks rent free initially for fit out Term – Tenancy Agreement for six months and monthly thereafter commencing 1 <sup>st</sup> November 2013
	Mr Gilliland is moving from Unit 15 Smithfield Market to 13/14 to expand his business.
2.5	Unit 35 Smithfield Market – TLC for Nails – Nail Bar
	Tenant -Patricia MooreLeeann Hill68 Sunnyside Street16 The BoulevardBelfastBelfastBT7 3EXBT7 3LN
	Unit Size – 283 sqft Ground Floor 140 sqft Storage area on upper floor Rent - £420.00 per month. Two weeks rent free initially for fit out Term – Tenancy Agreement for six months and monthly thereafter commencing 12 <sup>th</sup> November 2013
2.6	Unit 22 Smithfield Market – Arts/Crafts Sector- Bespoke mounted and personalised prints Tenant - Wayne Kerr 79 Eastway Newtownabbey BT37 9NW
	Unit Size – 150 sqft Rent - £165.00 per month. Two weeks rent free initially for fit out Term – Tenancy Agreement for six months and monthly thereafter commencing 18 <sup>th</sup> November 2013
2.7	Unit 21 Smithfield Market – Homebrew Store
	Tenant - Jacqueline Maxwell and Paul Wigham 65 Glenbank Drive Belfast BT14 8BJ
	Unit Size – 235 sqft Rent - £250.00 per month. Two weeks rent free initially for fit out Term – Tenancy Agreement for six months and monthly thereafter commencing 18 <sup>th</sup> November 2013
3	Resource Implications

Financial Letting of six vacant units. Total rental income of £1905 per month from Smithfield Market.

4	Equality and Good Relations Considerations	
	There are no Equality or Good Relations issues pertaining to these Agreements.	

5	Recommendations
	Committee is asked to note the terms of the lettings as set out above

## 6 Decision Tracking

Tenancy Agreements have been prepared by Legal Services and Estates Management Unit

7	Key to Abbreviations