

Proposed wording changes to the members' Scheme of Allowances, Part 6 of the Council's Constitution

DEPENDENT CARERS ALLOWANCE

Paragraph 7.5.2 currently reads:

"The Allowance is to reimburse actual costs incurred up to the following maximum rate of £6.00 per hour, subject to a maximum weekly payment of £45 per week (or seven and a half hours equivalent care)."

Replace above paragraph with:

"The Allowance is to reimburse actual costs incurred up to a the London Living Wage maximum rate per hour, subject to a maximum weekly payment of seven and a half hours equivalent care."

New Section 5:

SICKNESS AND PARENTAL LEAVE

"Members on sickness, maternity, paternity and adoption leave may continue to claim both their basic allowance and any special responsibility allowance for which they are eligible. A pro-rate special responsibility allowance will be paid to a member covering an eligible post during such a period of absence."

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