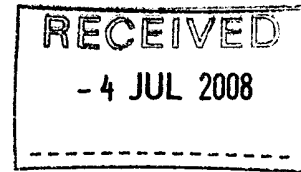




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Dear Sir

## **REVIEW OF THE CIVIC FORUM**

I would refer to your letter dated 29 May 2008, outlining the Review of the Civic Forum, which was tabled for our elected Members' attention at Council's monthly meeting on 26 June 2008.

I have been directed by the Council to inform you that it sees no purpose in this body, which in the past has proved to be ineffective (despite its lack of meetings). It is the Council's view that sufficient representation on the matters referred to the Civic Forum can be provided by the elected representatives in the NI Assembly.

Yours faithfully



**A M DONALDSON**  
**Chief Executive**