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**EXTENSION OF CONTRACT TO SUPPLY, ERECT AND DISMANTLE  
SCAFFOLD ACCESS EQUIPMENT FOR THE REPAIR AND  
MAINTENANCE OF WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL  
PROPERTY**

A report was submitted by the Executive Director of Housing, Environmental and Economic Development seeking approval to enter into negotiations with the Council's current service provider to extend the existing contract for the supply, erection and dismantling of scaffold access equipment to allow the continuation of the repair and planned maintenance of West Dunbartonshire Council's property.

Councillor Bootland was then heard in relation to a motion concerning the remit of the Tendering Committee and in particular, the issue that consideration of policy matters are outwith the Committee's remit. The motion referred to the request for the extension of the contract to supply and erect scaffolding and provided instruction that the matter be suspended until such time as the appropriate Committee of the Council made a determination on how it wished to proceed.

Following discussion, the Committee agreed to continue consideration of the report as an emergency item to the next meeting of Council.

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