

**MESSAGE FROM THE MINISTER**  
(To Elected Members and CEOs)

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IMPLEMENTATION) REGULATIONS 1999**

An amendment has been made to vary the *Local Government (Implementation) Regulations 1999* and appears in the *Government Gazette* dated 31 August 2000 at page 1041.

Regulation 11(4)(c) has been varied to extend the period in which Councils are not required to publicly consult on the extension or renewal of an existing lease or licence over community land to 1 January 2001.

The variation takes effect from 1 July 2000, as provided for under section 45(3) of the *Local Government (Implementation) Act 1999*.

For advice or assistance on the above please contact the Office of Local Government (tel. 8207 0600 or freecall 1800 352 224).

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