

**NORTH SEA COMMISSION - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GROUP
MEMBERS' PROFILE - 2005**

1. Name :

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3. Organisation :

Kingston upon Hull City Council (UK) - Development & Renewal Services

4. What is your job title?

(i.e. European adviser, councillor, executive secretary, project manager)

Economic Strategy Officer

5. What is your position within your organisation:

X

Officer	X
Politician	
Other	

6. Briefly describe your main tasks/responsibilities:

Provision of advice and responses on strategic issues relating to economic development and regeneration.

7. Does your organisation have an official presence in Europe / EU?

Via Yorkshire & Humber Regional Office in Bruxelles.

8. What is your structure for representation on European issues?

European and Regional Team in Development & Renewal Services in the City Council provides policy advice and responses. Reports as appropriate to City Council committees and to Yorkshire & Humber Regional Assembly. The Yorkshire & Humber region has 6 MEPs.

9. How do you lobby Europe on economic development issues?

Directly, through the UK Government, the Yorkshire & Humber Regional Assembly, the Humber Forum (a sub-regional partnership), and via MEPs.

10. Do you have position papers on:

X

Energy issues and Renewable energy	
SME Innovation and Development	X
Rural Development	
Food production, promotion and development (incl. tourism potential)	X
European funding	X
Academic and business knowledge exchange	X
Baltic Sea co-operation	X
Other: Economic regeneration; employment,	X

11. What other economic development activities are you currently involved with?

UK 'Northern Way' Growth Strategy and City Region Development Programme; Regional Economic Strategy; Yorkshire & Humber Key Cities initiative; Humber sub-regional Investment Plan; Humber Trade Zone; Employment Strategy; Eurocities; City Centre Master Plan; 'Gateway' Housing Market Renewal Pathfinder.