(Pursuant to Policy and Finance Committee held 11.03.2025 Minute no 161/24/25)

161/24/25 TO RECEIVE A REPORT ON TOWN COUNCIL GRANT FUNDING AND CONSIDER ANY ACTIONS.

Members considered the report from the Christmas Festival Committee, noting the exceptional circumstances around the event due to Storm Darragh. Saltash Chamber of Commerce requested permission to retain the unspent grant portion of £1,300 awarded by the Town Council. It was noted that the Grants Policy requires any unspent grant is returned to the Town Council. Members discussed the report and were unsure what the grant was spent on and the reason for requesting that remaining grant funds are used to cover a shortfall.

It was proposed by Councillor Stoyel, seconded by Councillor P Samuels and **RESOLVED** to defer the item until the next Policy and Finance Committee meeting and request that the Chamber of Commerce review their report to clarify how the grant awarded was spent and the reason for requesting the remaining grant is retained.