

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ALL MEMBERS OF ENFIELD BARNET & WALTHAM CROSS BRANCH

A special Branch meeting was held on the 30th January at The Lancaster Centre in Enfield. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the future of the Branch. Alok Agrawal and Suraiya Kassamally (Executive Committee members) were in attendance to advise members of the potential options available and the correct procedure to be followed.

Unfortunately, only 2 Branch members attended, including the Branch Treasurer, Mr Dudley Davis. Alok and Suraiya outlined the options regarding the future of the Branch, namely:

- Closure of the Branch with any remaining funds in the Branch bank account to be returned to NFOP
- Branch becomes a Social Branch
- Amalgamation with another neighbouring NFOP Branch, with any remaining funds in the Branch bank account transferred to the bank account of the 'new' Branch

A suggestion was made regarding a possible amalgamation with the London West End Branch. Mr Davis advised that he was in agreement for the Enfield, Barnet and Waltham Cross Branch to amalgamate with London West End. Alok Agrawal is the Chairman of the London West End Branch.

In view of the fact that only 2 members were in attendance at this meeting, there is a reluctance to move to amalgamation, before seeking a wider feedback and opinion from the branch membership. We would therefore ask if any member/s **not** in agreement with the proposal to amalgamate with the London West End Branch could advise Head Office by the 31st March 2025 at the latest, either via email to info@nfop.org.uk or by telephoning Head Office on 01582 721652.

We look forward to hearing from you.