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Our Homes Are Not Doss Houses!

This Union Notes:

1. That at a Coventry City Council Cabinet meeting on 10 March 2009, Labour Group Leader Cllr John Mutton referred to the accommodation in the new development in Belgrade Plaza as 'Doss Houses for Students'

2. That Students of Coventry University are residents of the city just like any other and play a vital role in their local communities

This Union Believes:

1. That this is a grossly unfair attack on all students of Coventry University, That it represents a complete prejudice towards students and totally inappropriate for one of our elected representatives to make

This Union Calls For:

1. Cllr John Mutton to apologise for his remarks to all students

2. The Coventry Labour Party to dissociate itself with this obscene comment

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