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This claim was passed as tabled by the AEB in February. The AEB's contingency budget was exhausted by this claim, meaning that only £50 of the total amount could be awarded from the AEB. We therefore request the balance of £55.15 from CSB contingency.

Adam Funnell, Arts & Ents Chair

## **Choir Tour Contingency Claim**

## **Background**

Whilst on tour in Rome during the summer of 2012, we had planned to get public transport between Camping Internazionale Castel Fusano and the Hotel Planet in Rome. The day before the planned transfer (a Saturday), the metro drivers' union called a snap strike, which they do with only 24 hours' notice on a fairly regular basis. We endeavoured to find an alternative of similar cost, but in the end the only way we could get to the hotel was by booking private taxis.

## **Reason for Claim**

We believe that this was a cost that we could not have reasonably predicted, nor reduced by our actions on the ground. This cost came to £123.64 at the exchange rate on the day (See claim CF6198). Metro tickets would have cost 23\*1 EUR, equivalent to £18.49.

## **Matter for Decision**

IC Choir requests the difference between the budgeted metro tickets and the required taxi fare, a sum of £105.15

Douglas Addy Treasurer IC Choir