

<b>Report title: Member travel to Brussels, 28 February and 1 March 2017</b>	
<b>Report to:</b> Committee to Approve Foreign Travel by ECC Officers and Members	
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<b>County Divisions affected:</b> All Essex	

## **1. Purpose of the Report**

- 1.1 To note self-funded foreign travel to Brussels by Cllr Kevin Bentley on 28 February and 1 March 2017 to speak at the East of England European Partnership Brexit Event.

## **2. Recommendation**

- 2.1 That foreign travel by Cllr Kevin Bentley to speak at the East of England European Partnership Brexit Event in Brussels on 28 February and 1 March 2017, at no cost to Essex County Council, be noted.

## **3. Background and proposal**

- 3.1 An application has been received from Cllr Kevin Bentley regarding travel to Brussels to speak at the East of England European Partnership Brexit Event in Brussels on 28 February and 1 March 2017. This visit will incur no cost to Essex County Council as the trip is self-funded.
- 3.2 As there is no cost to the Council, approval by the Committee is not required and this report is for information only.

## **Appendices**

1. Application for Member foreign travel to Brussels