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At our September meeting, South East London's Direct Action Network resolved:-

- 1 We deplore the proposed closure of the Independent Living Fund
2. This fund is essential for people, with severe impairments, if they are to be able to live in the community. Consequently, it's withdrawn, would simply force people to live in high cost and 'intensive care' institutions; creating a 'false economy' at greater overall public expense.
3. The consultation has, in any event, been seriously flawed with defects such as the way it was designed so as to be inaccessible to people with severe learning difficulties.
4. Consequently, and as a result, we are supporting the legal challenge being bravely mounted by THE 4 ILF USERS.