

## **NOTICE OF MEETING**

Licensing and Safety Committee
Thursday 13 January 2011, 7.30 pm
Council Chamber, Fourth Floor, Easthampstead House, Bracknell

# To: Licensing and Safety Committee

Councillor Brunel-Walker (Chairman), Councillor Mrs Ryder (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Mrs Angell, Baily, Mrs Barnard, Beadsley, Brossard, Burrows, Finch, Leake, Osborne, Phillips, Thompson, Virgo and Ms Wilson

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Director of Corporate Services

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### **AGENDA**

Page No 1. **Apologies for Absence** To receive apologies for absence. 2. **Declarations of Interest** Members are required to declare any personal or prejudicial interests and the nature of that interest, in respect of any matter to be considered at this meeting. 3. **Minutes** To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 1 - 4 14 October 2010. **Urgent Items of Business** 4. Any other items which, pursuant to Section 100B(4)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972, the Chairman decides are urgent. 5. **Public Speaking** To note those agenda items for which a request for public speaking has been received. **Decision Items** 6. **Review of Guidance Notes and Conditions for Hackney Carriages** and Private Hire Vehicle Owners, Operators and Drivers 5 - 68 The Committee is asked to approve the proposed amendments to the Council's Guidance Notes and Conditions for Hackney Carriages and Private Hire Vehicle Owners, Operators and Drivers. 7. Signing on Vehicles To receive a report updating members on the progress and results of a 69 - 86 consultation exercise conducted with the trade arising from the TIP Unmet Demand Survey Report published in 2009. **Information Items** 

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# 8. Chauffeur Badges

The Committee is asked to consider a report outlining proposals to introduce a new license classification.

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# 9. Equality Act 2010

The Committee is asked to consider a report highlighting the main provisions in relation to designated vehicles, exemption certificates and duties for drivers as set out in the Equality Act 2010.

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# 10. Police Reform and Social Responsibility Bill

The Committee is asked to consider a report setting out the proposed amendments to the Licensing Act contained within the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Bill.

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