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NOTICE OF MEETING

REGULATION COMMITTEE

Date & Time

Wednesday, 17 November 2010 9.30 a.m.

Venue at

Council Chamber, Priory House, Monks Walk, Shefford

Richard Carr
Chief Executive

To: The Chairman and Members of the REGULATION COMMITTEE:

Cllrs L Birt (Chairman), T Green (Vice-Chairman), D Bowater, I Dalgarno, A Fahn,
M Gibson, K Janes, H J Lockey, Ms J Nunn, A A J Rogers, G Summerfield and
P F Vickers

[Named Substitutes:

P N Aldis, R D Berry, Ms C Maudlin, D McVicar, B J Spurr and Mrs C Turner]

All other Members of the Council - on request

***MEMBERS OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THIS
MEETING***

AGENDA

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence and notification of substitute members

2. **CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

To receive any announcements from the Chairman and any matters of communication.

3. **MINUTES**

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Regulation Committee held on 25 August 2010 and note actions taken since that meeting.

(attached)

4. **MEMBERS' INTERESTS**

To receive from Members any declarations and the nature in relation to:-

(a) personal interests in any agenda item

(b) personal and prejudicial interests in any agenda item

5. **PETITIONS**

To receive petitions in accordance with the scheme of public participation set out in Annex 2 in Part A4 of the Constitution.

6. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

To receive any questions, statements or deputations from members of the public in accordance with the Procedure as set out in Appendix 1 to Part A4 of the Constitution.

7. **STATEMENT OF POLICY ABOUT RELEVANT CONVICTIONS**

A copy of the statement of policy about relevant convictions is attached to assist Members in relation to items 9 and 10.

8. **EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

To consider whether to pass a resolution under section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972 to exclude the Press and Public from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that the consideration of the item is likely to involve the disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph(s) 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

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Item	Subject	Exempt Para.	Page Nos.
9.	Application for a Private Hire Vehicle License	* 1	11 - 22
	To make a decision whether or not to grant a private hire vehicle licence to Mr James Taylor of Taylor's Transport in view of the age of the vehicle.		
10.	Application for a Private Hire Vehicle License	* 1	23 - 34
	To make a decision whether or not to grant a private hire vehicle licence to Mr Sheraz Ahmed of D and R Taxis in view of the age of the vehicle.		

11. **RE-ADMITTANCE OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

To consider whether to pass a resolution to re-admit members of the press and public on the grounds that consideration of the remaining items of business are not likely to involve the disclosure of exempt information as defined by Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

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Item	Subject	Page Nos.
12	Equalities Act 2010	35 - 38
	This report seeks a decision on whether Members wish to carry out a consultation in order to ascertain how the authority can meet the needs of a broad range of disabled people using hackney carriages, not just wheelchair users.	
13	Duration of Combined Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver Licences	39 - 42
	This report seeks instructions on whether or not Members wish to carry out a consultation with the hackney carriage and private hire trade in order to ascertain their views with regard to the issue of three year combined hackney carriage and private hire driver licences.	

14 **Adoption of Schedule 3 to the Local Government
(Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 and Section 27 of the
Policing and Crime Act 2009** 43 - 48

Adoption of the relevant provisions of the Local Government
(Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982, for the licensing of Sexual
Entertainment Venues.

15 **Adoption of Schedule 4 to the Local Government
(Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982** 49 - 54

Approval to publish a notice of the draft resolution in relation to
adoption of the relevant provisions of the Local Government
(Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982, for the licensing of Street
Trading.