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Licensing and Environmental Committee

Agenda

10.30am Friday, 16th July 2010 The Civic Hall Civic Centre Stourport-On-Severn

Licensing and Environmental Committee

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DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST - GUIDANCE NOTE

Code of Conduct

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If you have any queries about this Agenda or require any details of background papers, further documents or information you should contact Sue Saunders, Committee/Scrutiny Officer, Civic Centre, Stourport-on-Severn. Telephone: 01562 732733 or email susan.saunders@wyreforestdc.gov.uk.

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The Council Chamber, Civic Centre, Stourport-On-Severn

Part 1

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Agenda item	Subject	Page Number
1.	Apologies for Absence	
2.	Appointment of Substitute Members	
	To receive the name of any Councillor who is to act as a substitute, notice of which has been given to the Director of Legal & Corporate Services, together with the name of the Councillor for whom he/she is acting.	
3.	Declarations of Interest	
	In accordance with the Code of Conduct, to invite Members to declare the existence and nature of any personal or personal and prejudicial interests in the following agenda items. Members should indicate the action they will be taking when the item is considered.	
	Members are also invited to make any declaration in relation to Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992.	
	(See guidance note on cover.)	
4.	Minutes	
	To confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held on the 4th June 2010. Minutes 4.6.10	7
5.	Taxi Trade Liaison	
	To receive a report from the Director of Planning and Regulatory Services which proposes that the Taxi Trade Liaison Group be reappointed to ensure continued consultation between the Council and the Hackney Carriage/Private Hire trade on issues of mutual interest.	10
6	Agenda Item 5 Taxi trade liaison	
6.	Renewal of the Statement of Licensing Policy for the District - Licensing Act 2003	
	To receive a report from the Director of Planning and Regulatory Services which asks the Committee to consider the draft Statement of Licensing Policy for the District for years 2011 – 2014, and to approve a consultation period with stakeholders. Agenda Item 6 Renewal of Licensing Policy Agenda Item 6 App Draft Statement Lic Policy	12

7.	Application to Renew a Hackney Carriage Proprietor's Licence Beyond the Council's adopted Policy of Age Criteria (1997)	
	To receive a report from the Director of Planning and Regulatory Services that asks the Committee to consider an application for the Renewal of a Hackney Carriage Proprietor's Licence made by Mr G Bianco, P & P Central taxis, Unit G14, Paddington House, New Road, Kidderminster, DY10 1AL which falls outside of the Age Criteria Policy set by the Council in 1997. Agenda Item 7 Renewal of HC 03	24
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9.	Agenda Item 8 Appendices HC05 Application to Renew a Hackney Carriage Proprietor's Licence	
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15.	To consider any other business, details of which have been communicated to the Director of Legal and Corporate Services before the commencement of the meeting, which the Chairman by reason of special circumstances considers to be of so urgent a nature that it cannot wait until the next meeting.	
16.	Exclusion of the Press and Public	
	To consider passing the following resolution:	
	"That under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 the press and public be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of "exempt information" as defined in the paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act".	

Part 2

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17.	Exempt Minutes	
	To confirm as a correct record the Exempt Minutes of the meeting held on the 4th June 2010. Exempt Minutes 4.6.10	112
18.	To consider any other business, details of which have been communicated to the Director of Legal and Corporate Services before the commencement of the meeting, which the Chairman by reason of special circumstances considers to be of so urgent a nature that it cannot wait until the next meeting.	