

# NOTICE OF MEETING

**Meeting** GENERAL PURPOSES AND LICENSING COMMITTEE

**Date and Time** FRIDAY, 14 SEPTEMBER 2007 AT 9.30 A.M.\*

**Place** COUNCIL CHAMBER, APPLETREE COURT, LYNDHURST

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## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:**

\*Members of the public may speak in accordance with the Council's public participation scheme:

- (a) immediately before the meeting starts, on items within the Committee's terms of reference which are not on the public agenda; and/or
  - (b) on individual items on the public agenda, when the Chairman calls that item.
- Speeches may not exceed three minutes. Anyone wishing to speak should contact the name and number shown above.

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# AGENDA

## **Apologies**

### **1. Minutes**

To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 15 June 2007 as a correct record.

### **2. Declarations of Interest**

To note any declarations of interest made by members in connection with an agenda item. The nature of the interest must also be specified.

Members are asked to discuss any possible interests with Democratic Services prior to the meeting.

### **3. Public Participation**

To note any issues raised during the public participation period.

### **4. Polling Districts and Polling Places Review – Appointment of Working Party and Request for Delegation to Committee (Report A)**

- (a) To agree to the establishment of a Working Party to consider and make recommendations arising from the review; to agree its terms of reference and to appoint members to serve on the Working Party; and
- (b) To request the Council to delegate to the Committee authority to make changes to polling districts arising from the review.

### **5. To Consider Changes to the Hackney Carriage & Private Hire Vehicle Driver Qualification Requirements and the Introduction of a Basic Pre-Application Awareness Test (Report B)**

To consider the changes to the application system for Hackney Carriage & Private Hire Vehicle Driver Licences.

### **6. Game Dealer Licenses (Report C)**

To agree actions in respect of Game Dealer Licences.

### **7. Dates of Meetings 2008/09**

To agree meeting dates for the 2008/09 Municipal Year. Suggested dates – all Fridays at 9.30 a.m. - are as follows:

13 June 2008  
12 September 2008  
14 November 2008  
16 January 2009  
13 March 2009

### **8. Any other items which the Chairman decides are urgent**

To: **Councillors:**

G C Beck  
J A G Hutchins  
Mrs P Jackman  
Mrs M McLean  
J Penwarden  
L R Puttock (Chairman)  
M P Reid

**Councillors:**

A W Rice TD  
W S Rippon-Swaine  
R F Scrivens  
A E J Shotter (Vice-Chairman)  
Mrs B Smith  
M S Wade  
S S Wade  
P R Woods