STEVENAGE BOROUGH COUNCIL

GENERAL PURPOSES MINUTES

Date: Friday 11 December 2009

Time: 12.00 a.m.

Place: Council Chamber, Daneshill House, Danestrete, Stevenage

Present: Councillors P Kissane (Chair), C Latif (Vice Chair),

M Cherney-Craw, L Martin-Haugh, M Notley, P Stuart

and B Underwood

In Attendance:

Start/End Time: Start Time: 12.00 a.m.

End Time: 1.30 p.m

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors P Gallagher, L Knight, J Lloyd CC, M Patston, J Pickersgill and L Strange.

There were no declarations of interest.

2. MINUTES - 22 SEPTEMBER 2009

It was **RESOLVED** that the Part I Minutes of the meeting of the General Purposes meeting held on Tuesday, 22 September 2009 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

3. PROCEDURE

The Procedure was noted.

4. URGENT PART I BUSINESS

None

5. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

It was **RESOLVED**:

That, under Section 100(A) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds

that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as described in paragraphs 1-7 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act as amended by SI2006 No.88.

That, having considered the reasons for the following reports being in Part II, it be agreed that maintaining the exemption from disclosure of the information contained therein outweighs the public interest in disclosure

6. REVIEW OF TAXI LICENCE FOR MR X

Having considered all the evidence put forward by the Head of Environmental Health and Licensing, the oral representation by the Licence holder, it was **RESOLVED** that Mr X's Hackney Carriage and Driver's Licence be **REVOKED** with immediate effect.

Mr X was informed that he has the right to appeal to the Magistrates Court within 21 days.

7. URGENT PART II BUSINESS

None

8. MINUTES OF HEARING - 22 SEPTEMBER 2009

It was **RESOLVED** that the Part II Minutes of the meeting of the General Purposes meeting held on Tuesday, 22 September be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

The Chair