

GENERAL PURPOSES

Date: Tuesday 15 July 2008 Time: 6.00 p.m.

Place: Shimkent Room, Daneshill House, Danestrete, Stevenage

Contact: Pat Wilkings 01438 242203

Members: P.D. Kissane (Chair), C. Latif (Vice Chair), M. Cherney-Craw, Pam Gallagher, L. Knight, John Lloyd, CC, Lin Martin-Haugh, M. Notley, J. Pickersgill, L. Strange, P. Stuart, Jeannette Thomas, Brian Underwood

AGENDA

**** PARTI

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

2 TERMS OF REFERENCE

To note the Terms of Reference for the General Purposes Committee as approved by Annual Council on 21 May 2008.

Report attached Appendices attached

3 REVIEW OF STREET TRADING SCHEME

To agree that formal consultation be undertaken regarding proposed modification of the street trading regime.

Report attached Appendices attached

4 REVIEW OF TAXI AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENCE CONDITIONS

To agree that formal consultation be undertaken regarding proposed revision of taxi and private hire conditions prior to consideration by General Purposes Committee.

Report attached Appendices attached

5 TARIFF INCREASE

To decide whether to increase the taxi tariff that was requested as a result of recent substantial fuel price increases.

Report attached Appendices attached

6 URGENT PART I BUSINESS

7 URGENT PART I - MINUTES - 12 February 2008

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the General Purposes Committee held on Tuesday 12 February 2008.

Minutes attached

8 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

To consider the following motion:

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 S12006 No. 88.

**** PART II

9 MINUTES - 12 February 2008

To approve the minutes of the Meeting of the General Purposes Committee held on Tuesday 12 February 2008.

Minutes attached

10 URGENT PART II BUSINESS