BlackpoolCouncil

07 September 2007

To: Councillors Brown, D Coleman, Cox, Elmes, Evans, Green, Hutton, Lee, M Mitchell, Owen, Ryan, Smith, Mrs Taylor JP, Wright

The above members are requested to attend the:

LICENSING COMMITTEE

Tuesday, 18th September 2007 at 10.00 a.m. in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Blackpool

AGENDA

1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are asked to declare any interests in the items under consideration and in doing so state:

- (1) whether the interest is personal or prejudicial; and
- (2) the nature of the interest concerned

If any member requires advice on declarations of interests, they are advised to contact the Head of Legal and Democratic Services in advance of the meeting.

2. MINUTES, 30th May 2007 (Pages 3 to 4)

To verify as a correct record, or otherwise, the minutes of the meeting of the Licensing Committee held on the 30th May 2007.

3. HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENSING POLICY (Pages 5 to 88)

To consider the recommendation from Public Protection Sub-Committee to recommend to the Executive for approval the attached Hackney Carriage and Private Hire licensing policy.

4. **REVIEW OF STATEMENT OF LICENSING POLICY** (Pages 89 to 122)

To consider the revised statement of licensing policy.

5. GAMBLING ACT 2005- DELEGATION OF LICENSING AUTHORITY FUNCTIONS (Pages 121 to 124)

To consider the delegation of the Licensing Authority's functions under the Gambling Act 2005.

6. GAMBLING ACT 2005 UPDATE (Pages 125 to 126)

To consider an update on the implementation of the Gambling Act 2005.

7. LICENSING QUARTERLY UPDATE (Pages 127 to 128)

To consider the quarterly licensing update for the period May to August 2007.

8. ENFORCEMENT UPDATE (Page 129)

To receive a verbal update on the work of the licensing enforcement officers.

Venue information:

First floor meeting room (lift available), accessible toilets (ground floor), no-smoking building.

Other information:

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