

At a meeting of the REGULATORY COMMITTEE held in the CIVIC CENTRE on MONDAY, 24th NOVEMBER, 2008 at 2.00 p.m.

Present:-

Councillor Old in the Chair

Councillors Errington, P. Gibson, G. Hall, Paul Maddison, D. Richardson, Trueman, J. W. Walton and Whalen.

Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were submitted on behalf of Councillors Francis, Gofton, Peter Maddison, T. Martin and J. B. Scott.

Minutes of the Last Ordinary Meeting of the Committee held on 27th October, 2008 – Part I and of the Extraordinary Meeting held on 10th November, 2008.

1. RESOLVED that the minutes of the last ordinary meeting of the Committee held on 27th October, 2008 – Part I and of the extraordinary meeting held on 10th November, 2008 (copies circulated) be confirmed and signed as correct records.

Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982: City Centre Street Trading Policy.

The Director of Community and Cultural Services submitted a report (copy circulated) which requested Members to authorise Licensing Officers to conduct a review of the City Centre Street Trading Policy and to refrain from advertising the availability of any of the eight sites currently designated as suitable for street trading until Members received a report on the outcome of the review.

(For copy report – see original minutes).

2. RESOLVED that Licensing Officers be authorised to conduct a review of the City Centre Street Trading Policy and refrain from advertising the availability of any of the eight sites currently designated as suitable for street trading until Members received a report upon the outcome of the review.

Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 – Applications for Consent to Trade in Designated Area – Sheepfolds Industrial Estate, Sunderland.

3. RESOLVED that consideration of the matter be deferred to a future meeting pending the receipt of further information from Northumbria Police.

Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 – Applications for Grant of Consent to Trade in a Designated Area – Hay Street (East End) 3 Metres South of Access to Hay Street Industrial Estate, Sunderland – Mrs. C.

4. RESOLVED that consideration of the matter be deferred to a future meeting pending the receipt of further information from Northumbria Police.

Consideration of a Request to Extend the Livery Displayed upon Certain Hackney Carriage Vehicles.

The Director of Community and Cultural Services submitted a report (copy circulated) on a request to consider an application to extend the livery currently displayed on Hackney Carriage Vehicles whose proprietors are members of Independent Hackney Carriage of Sunderland (IHCOS) to include the association logo upon the front centre of the bonnet, rear quarter and rear tail of vehicles.

(For copy report – see original minutes).

Mr. Mills and Mr. Young of IHCOS were present and spoke in support of their application. Consideration having been given to the matter, it was:-

5. RESOLVED that approval be given to the request of IHCOS to extend the livery to display the association logo upon the front centre of the bonnet, rear quarter and rear tail of vehicles whose proprietors are members of IHCOS as detailed in Appendix 1 and 2 of the report.

Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006

At the instance of the Chairman, it was:-

6. RESOLVED that, in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded during consideration of the remaining business as it was considered likely to include the disclosure of exempt information relating to an individual and the financial or business affairs of a particular person (including the authority holding that information). (Local Government Act 1972, Schedule 12A, Part I, Paragraphs 1 and 3).

(Signed) S. OLD,
Chairman

Note:

The above minutes comprise only those relating to items during which the meeting was open to members of the public.

Additional minutes in respect of further items are included in Part II.