

# Swindon Borough Council

## Private Hire and Hackney Carriage Licensing Sub-Committee

**Wednesday, 22 August 2012**

Committee Room 1, Civic Offices (Anticipated meeting room)

**At 5.30 p.m.**

**Conservative  
Councillors**

Andrew Bennett  
Doreen Dart  
Emma Faramarzi  
Richard Hurley

**Labour  
Councillors**

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### **AGENDA**

- 1. Appointment of Chair for the Municipal Year 2012/13**
- 2. Appointment of Vice-Chair for the Municipal Year 2012/13**
- 3. Apologies for Absence**
- 4. Declarations of Interest**  
Members are reminded that at the start of the meeting they should declare any known interests in any matter to be considered, and also during the meeting if it becomes apparent that they have an interest in the matters being discussed.
- 5. Minutes** (Pages 1 - 2)  
To receive the minutes of the meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup> March 2012.
- 6. Public Question Time**  
See explanatory note below. Please phone the Committee Officer whose name and number appears at the top of this agenda if you need further guidance.
- 7. Law Commission Consultation - Reform of Taxi and Private Hire Services**  
(Pages 3 - 66)

**Date of Despatch:** 14 August 2012

**Public Question Time** - Swindon Borough Council is committed to increasing its accountability to the public and to promoting active citizenship. Up to 15 minutes will be allowed at the start of all Council meetings for questions to the Chair from members of the public about the work of the Committee (except for confidential matters and specific planning applications). Questions must be relevant, clear and concise. Because of time constraints Public Question Time is not an opportunity to make speeches or statements. Prior notice of a question to the Director of Law and Democratic Services is desirable - particularly if detailed background information is needed.

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