

## **LICENSING COMMITTEE**

**FRIDAY, 21 MAY 2010**

PRESENT:- Councillor Vera Tomlinson in the Chair; Councillors John Ballman, Andrew Bennett, Michael Bray, Doreen Dart, Janet Heenan, Fay Howard, Richard Hurley, Colin Lovell, Kevin Parry, Vera Tomlinson, Steve Wakefield, David Wood, David Wren and Robert Wright.

An apology for absence was received from Councillors Junab Ali.

### **1. Minutes**

Resolved – That the minutes of the meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2010, be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

### **2. Declarations of Interest**

The Chair reminded Members of the need to declare any known interests in any matters to be considered at the meeting. No declarations were made.

### **3. Public Question Time**

No public questions were received during the meeting.

### **4. Local Government Act 1989 - Section 15: Review of Political Balance Arrangements**

Resolved – That, further to Minute 15(2) of the Council, and having carried out a review under Section 15 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 this Committee continue to apply political balance arrangements under the Act.

### **5. Appointments of Sub-Committees and Panel**

Resolved – (1) That an Ad Hoc Licensing Sub-Committee be appointed having the functions set out in the document “Swindon Council Constitution 2009/10” and comprising Councillors Mick Bray, Doreen Dart, Janet Heenan, Fay Howard, Vera Tomlinson, David Wren and Bob Wright.

(All Councillors serving on the Licensing Committee be appointed as substitutes to their respective political group.)

(2) That a Licensing Panel be appointed having the functions set out in the document “Swindon Council Constitution 2009/10” and comprising three Councillors to be drawn from Members of this Committee.

(3) That a Private Hire/Hackney Carriage Licensing Sub-Committee be appointed having the functions set out in the document “Swindon Council Constitution 2009/10” and comprising Councillors Junab Ali, John Ballman, Andrew Bennett, Brian Ford, Richard Hurley, Colin Lovell and Kevin Parry.

(All Councillors serving on the Licensing Committee be appointed as substitutes to their respective political group.)