

## DECISION SHEET: REGULATORY COMMITTEE

### 12 DECEMBER 2018

<b>Councillors Present:</b>	Councillor Morris (Chair) Councillors Alexander, Akter, Buckley, Darlington, Exon, Geaney, Legg, Miles, Minns, Patey-Smith and Wallis.
<b>Officers Present:</b>	K Hulatt (Principal Solicitor – Litigation), N Allen (Head of Regulatory Services), J Agar (Regulatory Unit Senior Practitioner), S Bailey (Strategic Lead Parking and Taxis), S Teesdale (Licensing and Business Manager), K Evans (Senior Enforcement Officer), E Fisher (Senior Licensing Practitioner) and T Milner (Committee Manager).
<b>Also Present:</b>	6 Members of the Public.
<b>Apologies:</b>	Councillors Carr and McDonald.

Agenda Ref.	Subject and Decision	Decision Referral	Officer(s) Responsible for Action
3.	<p><b>Minutes</b></p> <p>That the Minutes of the meeting held on 12 September 2018 be approved and signed by the Chair as a correct record.</p>	-	Committee Manager
4.	<p><b>Disclosures of Interest</b></p> <p>None disclosed.</p>	-	-
5.	<p><b>Petition</b></p> <p>The Committee received a petition on behalf of Milton Keynes Private Hire Association's Drivers in respect of Private Hire companies imposing on drivers to collect a 20 pence hidden charge on top of the normal fee without prior notice to customers.</p> <p>The Chair indicated that the Regulatory Unit Senior Practitioner would investigate the concerns raised and provide feedback on any findings to the next Regulatory Committee meeting in March 2019.</p>	-	-
6.	<p><b>Amendment of Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Licensing Policy</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That the revised Taxi Licensing Conditions and Procedures be approved.</li> <li>2. That the revised Taxi Licensing Policy be recommended to Cabinet for approval.</li> </ol>	Cabinet	Senior Practitioner
7.	<p><b>Review of Taxi Licensing Fees and Charges 2019</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That the fees be approved for advertisement in accordance with Section 70 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976.</li> </ol>		Senior Practitioner

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7. Cont'd.	2. That the Head of Service, in liaison with the Chair and Vice-Chairs of the Committee, to consider any objections should they arise. If there are no objections, or the objections are dismissed, then the fees as set out in the Committee report to be adopted and to take effect on 1 April 2019. If an objection(s) is upheld then the Head of Service, Chair and Vice-Chairs be requested to amend the fees which will take effect on 1 April 2019.		Head of Transport
8.	<b>Review of Street Trading Arrangements in Hanslope</b> That the amended street trading arrangements in Hanslope be approved, and a resolution as per the report be published in line with legislative requirements with changes and the concerned to be effective from 1 March 2019.		Senior Practitioner
9.	<b>Amendments to Milton Keynes Council Street Trading Policy</b> 1. That the Committee endorsed a draft proposal to prohibit street trading involving sale of food within 250 metres of any school's entrances and / or exits, during main school hours and 30 minutes after normal school closing time, and that Officers be requested to undertake a consultation and publish the required public notices. 2. That Cabinet be recommended to adopt the proposed minor amendments to the Street Trading Policy.	Cabinet	Senior Enforcement Officer
10.	<b>Taxi Licensing Audit</b> That the report be noted.		Senior Practitioner
11.	<b>Date of Next Meeting</b> That the next meeting of the Committee be held on Wednesday 13 March 2019 at 6.35 pm or after the conclusion of the Licensing Committee, whichever is the later.	-	Committee Manager