

DUDLEY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH

**MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL
AT AN EXTRAORDINARY MEETING HELD PURSUANT
TO SECTION 249 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**

**MONDAY 14TH JULY, 2008 AT 5.30PM
AT THE COUNCIL HOUSE, PRIORY ROAD, DUDLEY**

PRESENT:-

Councillor Burston (Mayor)
Councillor Mrs. P. Martin (Deputy Mayor)
Councillors Adams, Ahmed, Ali, Mrs. Ameson, Mrs. Aston, Banks, Barlow, D. Blood, Mrs. E. Blood, Body, Caunt, Mrs. Coulter, Mrs. Cowell, Crumpton, G. H. Davies, J. D. Davies, J. R. Davies, Mrs. Dunn, Evans, Mrs. Faulkner, J. Finch, Ms. Foster, Mrs. Greenaway, Hanif, P. Harley, Ms. Harris, Hill, Islam, James, Jones, Mrs. Jordan, Kettle, Knowles, J. Martin, Miller, Mrs. Millward, Ms. Nicholls, Nottingham, Perry, Mrs. Ridney, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Rogers, Ryder, Simms, Southall, Sparks, Stanley, Taylor, A. Turner, Mrs. H. Turner, K. Turner, Tyler, Vickers, Mrs. Walker, Waltho, C. Wilson, Mrs. M. Wilson and Wright; together with the Chief Executive and other Officers.

19 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

No Member made a declaration of interest, in accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct, in respect of any matter to be considered at this meeting.

20 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence from the meeting were received on behalf of Councillors Attwood, Ms. Boleyn, Lowe, Mottram, Ms. Partridge, Mrs. Shakespeare and Woodall.

21 **HONORARY ALDERMAN**

A report of the Chief Executive was submitted on a request by the Leader of the Council for consideration to be given to conferring the title of Honorary Alderman.

On the motion of Councillor Caunt, which was duly seconded, it was

RESOLVED

- (1) That this Council, recognising his eminent services to the Council and, pursuant to Section 249 of the Local Government Act, 1972, do hereby confer the title of Honorary Alderman upon Mr Harold Vincent Jackson MBE.
- (2) That the Chief Executive be authorised to make the necessary arrangements regarding the Badge of Office for the recipient and the presentation ceremony.

The meeting ended at 5.35 pm

MAYOR