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3rd February 2009

Dear Councillor,

TAXIS COMMITTEE – WEDNESDAY 11TH FEBRUARY 2009

You are requested to attend a meeting of the Taxis Committee to be held on Wednesday 11th February 2009, commencing at 6.00 pm in Committee Room No. 4, Council House, Dudley, to consider the business set out in the agenda below.

A **Committee Tea** will be available for Members in **the Members' Dining Room** from 5.00pm. Please inform Karen Farrington on the telephone number above at least **48 hours** before the meeting if you do not require a Committee Tea.

The agenda and reports for this meeting can be viewed on the Council's website www.dudley.gov.uk (Follow the links to Council Decision Making and Committee Information).

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "P. Z.", written over a white background.

Interim Director of Law and Property

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

2. APPOINTMENT OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

To report the appointment of any substitutes for this meeting of the Committee



INVESTORS IN PEOPLE

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of interest in accordance with the Members ' Code of Conduct

4. MINUTES

To approve as a correct record and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 5th January 2009 (attached).

5. REVISION OF LICENCE FEES (PAGES 1-7)

To consider the joint report of the Interim Director of Law and Property and the Director of Finance.

6. INTRODUCTION OF A ROAD PASSENGER VEHICLE DRIVING NVQ LEVEL 2 COURSE IN PARTNERSHIP WITH DUDLEY COLLEGE (PAGES 8-17)

To consider the joint report of the Interim Director of Law and Property.

7. TO ANSWER QUESTIONS UNDER COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 11.8 (IF ANY)

PRIVATE SESSION

In accordance with Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, the Proper Officer has determined that there will be no advance disclosure of the following reports because the public interest in disclosing the information set out in the following items is outweighed by the public interest in maintaining the exemption from disclosure.

8. RESOLUTION TO EXCLUDE THE PUBLIC

To consider the adoption of the following resolution:

That the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 as indicated below:-

<u>Agenda Item No.</u>	<u>Description of Item</u>	<u>Relevant Paragraph of Part I of Schedule 12A</u>
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9	Revocation of Private Hire and Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence – Mr FH	1
10	Grant of a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence – Mr GS	1
11	Renewal of a Private Hire and Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence – Mr MR	1
12	Grant of a Private Hire Driver's Licence – Mr AHS	1
13	Review of Private Hire Driver's Licence – Mr HR	1
14	Review of Private Hire & Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence – Mr MM	1
15	Review of Private Hire Driver's Licence – Mr MS	1

9 REVOCATION OF PRIVATE HIRE AND HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVER'S LICENCE – MR FH – (PAGES 18-21)

To consider a report of the Interim Director of Law and Property

10 GRANT OF HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVER'S LICENCE – MR GS – (PAGES 22-32)

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11 RENEWAL OF A PRIVATE HIRE AND A HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVER'S LICENCE – MR MR – (PAGES 33-37)

To consider a report of the Interim Director of Law and Property

12 GRANT OF A PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S LICENCE – MR AHS – (PAGES 38-40)

To consider a report of the Interim Director of Law and Property

13 REVIEW OF PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S LICENCE – MR HR – (PAGES 41-43)

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14 REVIEW OF PRIVATE HIRE AND A HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVER'S LICENCE – MR MM – (PAGES 44-47)

To consider a report of the Interim Director of Law and Property

15 REVIEW OF PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S LICENCE – MR MS – (PAGES 48-50)

To consider a report of the Interim Director of Law and Property

To all Members of the Taxis Committee, namely

Councillors

Mrs Ameson

Body

James

Attwood

Mrs Faulkner

Roberts

Mrs E Blood

Mrs Greenaway

While-Cooper