

Cabinet Meeting Resolution

Executive  
Forward Plan  
Reference

**E2575**

**Standards and general conditions to be attached to  
hackney carriage and private hire licences**

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| <b>Date of Meeting</b>                                                                         | 13-Nov-13                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>The Issue</b>                                                                               | <i>This report seeks to provide a policy on hackney carriages and private hire licensing standards and amends the general conditions for drivers, vehicles and private hire operators</i>                                                                                |
| <b>The decision</b>                                                                            | (1) To ADOPT the policy for hackney carriage and private hire licensing standards; and<br><br>(2) That the Cabinet provide comment to the Licensing Committee on the general conditions relating to hackney carriage and private hire drivers, specified in the report.  |
| <b>Rationale for decision</b>                                                                  | The previous conditions adopted by the Council have been updated and amended to take into account changes in technology, procedures and legislation that have come into force since they were originally adopted by the Housing and Public Protection Committee in 2000. |
| <b>Other options considered</b>                                                                | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>The Decision is subject to Call-In within 5 working days of publication of the decision</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |