## Epsom & Ewell Borough Council – Decisions taken by the Licensing and Planning Policy Committee on Thursday, 23 February 2017

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Decisions will come into force, and may be implemented, on the expiry of 5 working days from the date of this notice unless called in by the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee.

NOTE: The following represents a summary of the decisions taken by the Committee. It is not intended to represent the formal record of the meeting (for which reference should be made to the minutes) but to facilitate the call-in process.

Agenda Item No	Торіс	Decision
1.	Question Time	No questions were asked or had been submitted by members of the public.
2.	Declarations of Interest	No declarations of interest were made by Councillors regarding items on the Agenda.
3.	Minutes of Previous Meeting	The Minutes of the meeting held on 7 December 2016 were agreed as a true record and signed by Chairman.
4.	Petition Regarding Taxi Rank Provision in Epsom	<ul> <li>The Committee:</li> <li>(1) Noted the petitions</li> <li>(2) Agreed that representations contained in the petitions be taken into account</li> </ul>
5.	Online DBS Update Service	prior to any decision being made about whether to re-locate the taxi rank. The Committee considered the proposed amendment to the Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Policy with regard to the process for obtaining Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) checks, and agreed the following:

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		(1) The implementation of an online Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) procedure for new applicants and existing Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Drivers.
		(2) The amendment of the Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Policy as set out in paragraph 1(c) with an additional amendment agreed as the meeting as follows:
		Paragraph 1(c), line 5, remove the word ' <b>solely</b> '.
6.	Corporate Plan: Performance Report Two 2016 to 2017	The Committee:
		(1) Considered the performance reported in Annexe 1 to the report and did not identify any areas of concern;
		(2) Considered the actions that had been proposed or taken where performance was currently a concern as set out in paragraph 3.1 of the report.
7.	Government Housing White Paper 'Fixing our broken Housing Market' - Verbal Update	The Committee were briefed on the contents of the white paper.