

**EBER ALAN KINGTON
CITATION**

(As inscribed on the illuminated Scroll to be presented)

WHEREAS THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS AND BURGESSES OF THE BOROUGH OF EPSOM AND EWELL in the County of Surrey acting by the Borough Council are enabled by virtue of the powers conferred upon them by Section 249 of the Local Government Act 1972 to confer the title of Honorary Alderman of the Borough on persons who have, in the opinion of the Council, rendered eminent service to the Council as past Members of that Council, but are not then Councillors of the Council:

AND WHEREAS EBER ALAN KINGTON, BA CERT ED was first elected as a representative of the Ewell Court Ward on 7 May 1987 and continued to serve on the Council of the Borough of Epsom and Ewell for a period of thirty-six years during which time he gave devoted service to the Council and residents of this Borough

AND WHEREAS EBER KINGTON was elected as County Councillor as a representative of the Epsom and Ewell North Division on 5 June 2009 and the Ewell Court, Auriol and Cuddington Division on 2 May 2013, 4 May 2017 and 6 May 2021, during that time serving as Chairman of the Epsom and Ewell Local Committee for a period of six years and Vice-Chairman of the Council Overview & Scrutiny Committee and Vice-Chairman of the Council Overview Board for a period of two years

AND WHEREAS EBER KINGTON was elected Mayor of the Borough in the year 1999/2000 and Deputy Mayor in the following year and as such diligently served the interests of the Borough

AND WHEREAS EBER KINGTON has served on a number of Committees of the Council including the Policy and Resources, Recreation, Strategy and Resources and Standards Committees; Chairman of the Recreation Committee from 1991 to 1995 and Chairman of the Strategy and Resources Committee from 2002 to 2007 and 2016 to 2021, also serving as Vice-Chairman of the Policy and Resources Committee from 1998 to 1999 and Vice-Chairman of the Strategy and Resources Committee from 2007 to 2008, contributing greatly to the wellbeing of the community

AND WHEREAS EBER KINGTON has at all times dedicated himself with great ability to the service of the Council and interests of the inhabitants of the Borough and as a Councillor will be remembered for his outstanding work and devotion to the interests of the Borough:

NOW THEREFORE we, the said Council of the Borough of Epsom and Ewell, in grateful recognition and appreciation of eminent service to the Borough and to the community and as an expression of admiration and esteem do hereby admit **EBER ALAN KINGTON** to be an **HONORARY ALDERMAN** of the Borough of Epsom and Ewell.