

## ***Delegated Decisions by Cabinet Member for Safer & Stronger Communities***

***Monday, 10 May 2010 at 4.20 pm, or on the rising of the Safer & Stronger Communities Scrutiny Committee if later***

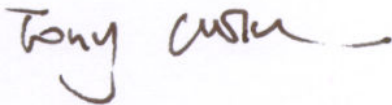
***County Hall, meeting room 2***

### ***Items for Decision***

The items for decision under individual Cabinet Members' delegated powers are listed overleaf, with indicative timings, and the related reports are attached. Decisions taken will become effective at the end of the working day on Tuesday 18 May 2010 unless called in by that date for review by the appropriate Scrutiny Committee.

Copies of the reports are circulated (by e-mail) to all members of the County Council.

**These proceedings are open to the public**



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*Note: Date of next meeting: 9 June 2010*

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## Items for Decision

### 1. Questions from County Councillors

Any county councillor may, by giving notice to the Proper Officer by 9 am on the working day before the meeting, ask a question on any matter in respect of the Cabinet Member's delegated powers.

The number of questions which may be asked by any councillor at any one meeting is limited to two (or one question with notice and a supplementary question at the meeting) and the time for questions will be limited to 30 minutes in total. As with questions at Council, any questions which remain unanswered at the end of this item will receive a written response.

Questions received after the despatch of the agenda, but before the deadline, will be shown on the Schedule of Addenda circulated at the meeting, together with any written response which is available at that time.

### 2. Declarations of Interest

### 3. Petitions and Public Address

#### EXEMPT ITEM

***It is RECOMMENDED that the public be excluded during consideration of the annex to report CMDSSC7 since it is likely that if they were present during its consideration there would be disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part I of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) and specified below in relation to that item:***

3. Information relating to the financial and business affairs of any particular person including the authority withholding that information

***and since it is considered that, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information, on the grounds that such disclosure might prejudice the commercial position of Lion Apparel Ltd.***

Note: The report itself does not contain exempt information and is therefore available to the public.

The exempt information is contained in the restricted annex to the report that has been circulated only to those members and officers entitled to receive it.

**THE ANNEX HAS NOT BEEN MADE PUBLIC AND SHOULD BE REGARDED AS STRICTLY PRIVATE TO THOSE MEMBERS AND OFFICERS ENTITLED TO RECEIVE IT.**

### 4. Adult Learning Service: Use of Premises (Pages 1 - 4)

*Forward Plan Ref: 2010/046*

*Contact: Jane Dixon, Head of Adult Learning Tel: (01865) 458794*

Report by Head of Community Services (**CMDSSC4**).

**4.20 pm or on the rising of the Safer and Stronger Communities Scrutiny Committee if later.**

***The Cabinet Member for Safer & Stronger Communities is RECOMMENDED to approve the changes proposed in the report.***

**5. Trading Standards Service Self-Assessment Against the Regulator's Compliance Code** (Pages 5 - 14)

*Forward Plan Ref:* 2010/049

*Contact:* Richard Webb, Deputy Head of Trading Standards, Tel: (01865) 815791

Report by Director of Community Safety & Shared Services & Chief Fire Officer (**CMDSSC5**).

***The Cabinet Member for Safer & Stronger Communities is RECOMMENDED to approve the Trading Standards Service following the Local Co-ordinators of Regulatory Services (LACORS) guidance on the Regulator's Compliance Code when determining action required to meet the requirements of this Code.***

**6. Arrangements for Inspection and Licensing of Petroleum and Explosives Storage in Buckinghamshire** (Pages 15 - 18)

*Forward Plan Ref:* 2010/050

*Contact:* Richard Webb, Deputy Head of Trading Standards, Tel: (01865) 815791

Report by Director for Community Safety & Shared Services & Chief Fire Officer (**CMDSSC6**).

***The Cabinet Member for Safer & Stronger Communities is RECOMMENDED to authorise the Head of Trading Standards and Community Safety to enter into an agreement with Buckinghamshire County Council to provide licensing and inspection services for petroleum spirit and explosives subject to satisfactory terms being negotiated with Buckinghamshire County Council.***

**7. Firefighters Personal Protective Equipment (Fire Kit)** (Pages 19 - 26)

*Forward Plan Ref:* 2010/069

*Contact:* Colin Thomas, Acting Deputy Chief Fire Officer, Tel: (01865) 855206

Report by Acting Deputy Chief Fire Officer (**CMDSSC7**).

***The Cabinet Member for Safer & Stronger Communities is RECOMMENDED to approve an exemption from the tendering requirements of Oxfordshire County Council's Contract Procedure Rules and to:***

- (a) ***approve an extension to the existing contract with Lion Apparel Ltd for a period of 6 months, with an option to withdraw sooner if that is feasible;***
  - (b) ***delegate authority to the Director for Community Safety and Shared Services and Chief Fire Officer to extend the contract for a further 3 months should the new contract not be operational in sufficient time to allow for a seamless transition.***
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