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**Date of meeting** Thursday, 31st January, 2013  
**Time** 7.00 pm  
**Venue** Committee Room 1. Civic Offices, Merrial Street,  
Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs ST5 2AG  
**Contact** Geoff Durham

## Public Protection Committee

### AGENDA

#### PART 1– OPEN AGENDA

a Supplementary Item to the Public Protection Committee (Pages 1 - 2)

**Members:** Councillors Allport, Bailey, Hailstones, Mrs Hailstones, Mrs Heesom, Kearon, Matthews, Olszewski (Chair), Miss Olszewski (Vice-Chair), Robinson, Miss Walklate, Welsh and Mrs Williams

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## **Supplementary Information for The Public Protection Committee**

### **Recommendation**

#### **Hackney Carriage Accessibility Report**

In relation to the foregoing report the chair has proposes the following recommendation

- a) That the Council undertake so far as practicable a full and comprehensive consultation with stakeholders (and in particular those bodies that represent disabled persons) within the borough who have an interest in transport provision for disabled persons (and in particular wheelchair accessibility) within Hackney Carriages.
- b) That in the meantime the Council maintain its present policy regarding wheelchair accessibility.
- c) That regardless of the outcome of the consultation and any subsequent decision that the Councils policy be reviewed every 12 months.

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