

MINUTES OF CABINET MEETING HELD 23 FEBRUARY 2010

PRESENT

Councillor Cereste - Leader of the Council, Councillor Elsey, Councillor Hiller, Councillor Holdich, Councillor Lamb, Councillor Scott and Councillor Seaton – Cabinet members

Councillor Benton, Councillor S Dalton and Councillor C Day - Cabinet Advisers

1. Apologies for Absence

An apology had been received from Councillor Lee.

2. Declarations of Interest and Whipping Declarations

There were no declarations.

3. Bus Service Review

Cabinet was advised that the Bus Service Review they had agreed at their meeting on 8 February 2010 had been the subject of a request for call-in of the decision. The Environment Capital Scrutiny Committee had met on 23 February to consider this request and had agreed to call in the decision and refer it back to Cabinet to reconsider because of an error in the original decision relating to the changes to the timetable of the 406 bus service.

CABINET RESOLVED TO:

Agree to cease on the 406 bus service all journeys before 0745 and all journeys after 1813, with replacement available within walking distance on Citi 2. In addition, other minor journey withdrawals, with replacement available within walking distance on Citi 2.

REASONS

The original report to Cabinet contained an error in that it recommended that all bus journeys cease before 0845.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS

Cabinet could have agreed to leave in place its previous decision. This was rejected because of the need to maintain a bus service during the busy morning period.