

REVIEW OF OFFICER DELEGATION 2006/7

Delegation Reference/ Constitution Page	Subject and Current Delegation	Proposed Amendments
1. A11/Page D5	<p>Attendance Allowance for Officers</p> <p>The current delegation allows Heads of Service to authorise payments to their staff who must undertake work outside normal office hours and do not qualify for overtime payments. The payments were linked to the rates which applied to the former members' allowance. The latter are now defunct.</p>	<p>Delete present authority.</p> <p>Substitute:</p> <p>To approve, in consultation with the Head of Human Resources, payments for weekend/or other exceptional working requirements based, whether by meeting allowances or other means.</p> <p>Reason: current link with allowances for members has been broken. Delegation must reflect current practice.</p>
E11 (Page D18) E12 (Page D18)	<p>Environmental Protection Act - Authorised Officers</p>	<p>Delete</p> <p>Reason: superseded by E10 which sets out the full delegation required for all environmental legislation.</p>
G1 (Page D21)	<p>Gambling Act</p> <p>New delegated authorities for postholders administering this Act should be added.</p> <p>(NB existing G1 renumbered G2)</p>	<p>Add new delegated authorities as agreed by the Council on 19.12.06 (Minute 64)</p> <p>Reason: new legislation</p>
L2 (Page D29)	<p>Land Drainage & Flood Defence</p> <p>Sets out postholders who exercise powers under this legislation</p>	<p>Delete present post titles and substitute the following:</p> <p>Reason: current postholder designations are out of date</p>

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L6 (Page D31) L7 (Page D31)	<p>Hackney Carriages & Private Hire Vehicles - Licensing</p> <p>Sets out postholders who exercise powers under this legislation</p>	<p>Delete current postholder titles and substitute the following:</p> <p>Hackney Carriages</p> <p>"Environmental Health Manager" in place of "Assistant Head of Environmental Services (Commercial)"</p> <p>Private Hire Vehicles</p> <p>Ditto</p> <p>Reason: current postholder designations are out of date.</p> <p>Delete reference to "Transportation Committee" and substitute "Licensing Committee" in L6 and L7</p>
S13 (Page 49)	<p>Nomination of Sub Contractors</p> <p>Duplicates provisions which have been altered as part of review of contract standing orders.</p>	<p>Delete</p> <p>Reason: duplication and out of date.</p>
T6 (Page D51)	<p>Tenders - Approved Lists</p> <p>Ditto</p>	<p>Delete</p> <p>Reason: duplication and out of date.</p>
T7	<p>Traffic Orders</p> <p>Sets out delegated powers available under the former Essex County Council Highways Agency.</p>	<p>Delete</p> <p>Agency no longer operates.</p>