

## **DISPENSATIONS SUB (STANDARDS) COMMITTEE**

**Tuesday, 13 March 2018**

**Minutes of the meeting of the Dispensations Sub (Standards) Committee held at Committee Room 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, West Wing, Guildhall on Tuesday 13 March 2018 at 3.51 pm**

### **Present**

#### **Members:**

Mark Greenburgh

Deputy Edward Lord

Deputy Jamie Ingham Clark

#### **Officers:**

Michael Cogher

- Comptroller and City Solicitor

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Martin Newton

- Town Clerk's Department

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### **1. ELECTION OF A CHAIRMAN**

After Deputy Edward Lord proposed that Deputy Jamie Ingham Clark should 'take the chair' for this meeting, it was

**RESOLVED** – That Deputy Jamie Ingham Clark be elected Chairman for the duration of this meeting of the Sub-Committee.

### **2. QUESTIONS ON MATTERS RELATING TO THE WORK OF THE DISPENSATIONS SUB COMMITTEE**

There were no questions.

### **3. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT**

There was no other business that the Chairman considered urgent.

### **4. DISPENSATION**

With the agreement of the Chairman, the Committee considered the late reports of the Comptroller and City Solicitor on the requests received for dispensations under the Localism Act 2011 in view of the urgent need to determine these dispensations prior to forthcoming meetings.

#### **4.1 Dispensation Requests**

In respect of requests received, the Town Clerk notified Members of an additional request received earlier in the day from Mark Bostock, which the Chairman agreed also be considered at the meeting.

After consideration of each request, it was

## **RESOLVED**

- (a) **Deputy David Bradshaw** – request to speak at Barbican Residential Committee on 19 March 2018 on (i) concrete repairs to the Barbican Estate and (ii) lease enforcement dealing with breaches; and speak and vote on (iii) the annual rent review.

**Partially Granted** - A dispensation be granted to Deputy David Bradshaw to speak only at Barbican Residential Committee on 19 March 2018 on (i) concrete repairs to the Barbican Estate, (ii) lease enforcement dealing with breaches and (iii) the annual rent review.

**The request to vote on (iii) above was refused.**

- (b) **Deputy John Tomlinson** – request to speak and vote at Barbican Residential Committee on 19 March 2018 on (i) concrete repairs, (ii) lease enforcement and (iii) any discussion which may arise on a possible review of the current composition and terms of reference of the Barbican Residential Committee.

**Partially Granted** - A dispensation be granted to Deputy John Tomlinson to speak only at Barbican Residential Committee on 19 March 2018 on (i) concrete repairs, (ii) lease enforcement and (iii) any discussion which may arise on a possible review of the current composition and terms of reference of the Barbican Residential Committee.

**The request to vote on (i) to (iii) above was refused.**

- (c) **Mark Bostock** – request to speak and vote at Barbican Residential Committee on 19 March 2018 and until the ward elections in 2021 on Barbican car park charges.

**Partially Granted** - A dispensation be granted to Mark Bostock to speak only at Barbican Residential Committee on 19 March 2018 on Barbican car park charges.

**The request to vote on the above at Barbican Residential Committee on 19 March 2018 (and to speak and vote on the above until the ward elections in 2021) was refused.**

- (d) **Susan Pearson** – request to speak on planning application 17/00770/FULL (former Richard Cloudesley School) at Planning and Transportation Committee on 26 March 2018 or subsequent meetings when the planning application is discussed.

**Granted** - A dispensation be granted to Susan Pearson to speak on planning application 17/00770/FULL (former Richard Cloudesley School) at the Planning and Transportation Committee on 26 March

**2018 and on that application (17/00770/FULL) at subsequent meetings of that Committee when it is discussed.**

**5. DISPENSATION REQUEST**

After consideration of the request from Ann Holmes, it was

**RESOLVED**

- (a) **Ann Holmes** – request to speak on planning and licensing matters until the ward elections in 2021.

**Rejected** – The Sub-Committee considered the request to be too wide reaching – rather than focussing on specific applications or matters in proximity to the Member's property – and for too long a period. The dispensation request was therefore refused.

**The meeting closed at 4.20 pm**

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Chairman

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