

DELEGATED DECISION NOTIFICATION	
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Directorate:

Growth

Decision Maker

Mike Harris

Subject

Southampton Concessionary Fares Scheme 2017-18

Register of Delegated Powers Reference Number or

Cabinet Decision Number:

1.10 Directors and Service Directors shall have authority to act under all current or future legislation and Council plans, policies, guidelines and procedures relating to their services and functions managed, operated and controlled by them or their Service Leads, and shall have the authority to vary or change their services or functions following consultation with the Chief Executive (where there are Head of Paid Service) and the Service Director: Strategic Finance & Commercialisation and Service Director: Legal & Governance where legislation, regulations, orders or guidance subsequently issued by Ministers in relation to such services or functions require a change in service delivery greater than "de minimus".

Decision / Reason

Decision:

A technical ammendment to Appendix 1 SOUTHAMPTON CITY COUNCIL CONCESSIONARY FARES SCHEME 2017/18 ('the Scheme') which is the supporting document to the Cabinet report of the 21st March 2017 on the CONCESSIONARY FARES SCHEME 2017/18.

To approve the technical amendment to the Appendix 1, section -User Eligibility criteria, and specifically Age eligibility. To amend the following:

"Residents of Southampton who meet any of the following criteria will be eligible for a free concessionary fares pass:

men and women aged 63 years and older;"

to be amended to:

"Residents of Southampton who meet any of the following criteria will be eligible for a free concessionary fares pass:

Men and Women who have reached the female state pension age (you can calculate if you are eligible here: https://www.gov.uk/state-pension-age/y".

And

"For those under the age of 63, applicants must either provide confirmation that:"

To be amended to:

"For those under the female state pension age, applicants must provide confirmation that:"

	Reason:					
	To ensure that Appendix 1 Scheme Conditions, is in accordance with the local enhancements as specified in the Cabinet Report on 21st march 2017. And specifically that age eligibility is defined by the national minimum which is a statutory duty and not a local enhancement to the Southampton City Council Concessionary fares Scheme 2017/18.					
Declared Officer / Member Interests	n/a					
Details of consultation undertaken (other reasons / organisations consulted	Executive Member	Yes	No	Dat	e	
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	Chief Officer affected	\boxtimes				
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