Wolverhampton City Council

OPEN DECISION ITEM

Committee / Panel	LICENSING COMMITTEE	Date	<u>30 MAY 2012</u>
Originating Service Group(s)	EDUCATION AND ENTERPRISE		
Contact Officer(s)/ Telephone Number(s)	COLIN PARR x0105		
Title/Subject Matter	REVIEW OF DECISION MAKING		

Members are recommended to agree to:

- (i) Endorse and approve the proposals in section 2 of this report relating to category 2 decisions.
- (ii) Endorse and approve the proposals in section 2 of this report relating to category 3 decisions.
- (iii) Delegate category 3 decision making powers to the Strategic Director for Education and Enterprise.
- (iv) Note the schedule attached at Appendix 1 to this report which includes further proposed delegations from the Strategic Director for Education and Enterprise to officers.
- (v) Receive annual delegation update reports at the beginning of the municipal year.

REVIEW OF DECISION MAKING

1.0 **Purpose of Report**

- 1.1 To seek the endorsement and approval of a proposed decision making process and for proposed delegations in relation to category 3 decision making powers to the Strategic Director for Education and Enterprise.
- 1.2 To draw Members attention to the table attached at Appendix 1 which includes proposed delegations from the Director to officers within Education and Enterprise.

2.0 Background

- 2.1 The Licensing Committee has responsibility for a wide range of licensing functions. These relate principally to the issue of licences, permits, consents and their enforcement.
- 2.2 Members will be most familiar with premises applications made under the Licensing Act 2003 and a variety of taxi related matters. However there are many other matters that are only occasionally brought to Members' attention for consideration e.g. sex establishments, motor salvage etc.
- 2.3 The licensing system is configured to allow the proper discharge of functions and operates through the Licensing Committee either taking decisions themselves or through the delegation of decisions to officers.
- 2.4 The aim of the delegation scheme is the achievement of a proper balance of responsibilities to enable the service to be delivered in an efficient and effective manner.
- 2.5 The current Committee approval arrangements categorise decisions into three categories. See table 1.

Category	Who takes the decision?	Type of decision
1	Full Committee	Policy matters and those which have significant political, financial including fees and charges or service delivery issues.
2	Sub Committee	Contentious applications. Suspensions and Licence revocations not in accordance with revised criteria, responsibility for any function as prescribed by statute.
3	Delegated to Officers	Determination of consents, permits registrations, licence applications and reviews in accordance with agreed policies.

Table 1 - Current Decision Making Progress

3.0 Delegation of Category 2 and 3 Decisions

- 3.1 From 1974 until the present day there have been various delegations from Members to officers for decisions relating to licensing functions.
- 3.2 Many of these delegations have remained in place despite organisational restructures, transfer of functions, changes to job titles and various changes to committees.

- 3.3 Existing delegations date back, for some functions, to 1974. There is currently no routine review process for officer delegations.
- 3.4 In order to clarify the current arrangements Licensing Services have produced a policy document which includes a list of the current and proposed delegation to officers for a range of decisions. This is attached at Appendix 1 to this report and will be authorised by the Strategic Director for Education and Enterprise should Members delegate category 3 decisions as recommended.
- 3.5 Members are asked to confirm and endorse the continuation of the existing regime of officer delegations and approve delegation of category 3 decisions as set out in the Appendix, to the Strategic Director for Education and Enterprise. This will ensure the ongoing proportionate delivery of routine, non-contentious licensing functions in accordance with agreed policies and procedures.
- 3.6 Should Members agree to the recommendations within this report, it is proposed to submit a delegations report in this format to Licensing Committee at the beginning of each municipal year.

4.0 Legal Implications

- 4.1 The Licensing Authorities (Functions and Responsibilities) (England) Regulations 2000 Schedule 1 specifies a range of functions which are not to be an executive responsibility and this includes licensing and registration functions.
- 4.2 The Licensing Committee has been appointed to exercise the Council's functions relating to the processing, determination and management of licensing. Specific powers and duties are listed in the Council's constitution and some can be delegated to officers.
- 4.3 One of the main principles of the Constitution is the need to be able to ascertain who is responsible for any decision made by or on behalf of the Council and this is particularly so for officer delegations which must be comprehensive. [SH/18052012/B]

5.0 <u>Financial Implications</u>

5.1 The proposals contained in this report can be met through existing budgetary provisions and should generate efficiencies in the utilisation of both Member and officer resources. [JJ/16052012/D]

6.0 Equal Opportunities Implications

6.1 The agreement of criteria relating to officer decisions will be subject to officer scrutiny to ensure the proposals are in accordance with the Council's Equal Opportunities Policy and the requirements of the Human Rights Act 1998.

7.0 <u>Environmental Implications</u>

7.1 Many of the functions for which the committee has responsibility have a bearing on environmental issues.

Licensing Committee – Committee/Sub-Committee/Officer Delegations

Current Delegation(s)	Date of Committee Authorisation	Proposed Delegation(s)
No Representations – Licensing Officer Representations resolved by conditions added to Licence – Licensing Sub- Committee, endorse to negate hearing	Licensing Committee 02/03/2005	No representations – Licensing Officer Representations resolved by conditions added to Licence – Licensing Sub-Committee, endorse to negate hearing
Representations Not Resolved – Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 02/03/2005	Representations Not Resolved – Licensing Sub-Committee
Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 02/03/2005	Licensing Sub-Committee
Acknowledge Receipt – Section Leaders Licensing Manager	EM 25/05/06 CP 03/09/09 RE 14/02/11	Acknowledge Receipt – Licensing Officer
Representations/Service of Counter Notice – Licensing Sub-Committee		Representations/Service of Counter Notice – Licensing Sub-Committee
N/A	N/A	Section Leader Licensing, in consultation with Chair, Vice Chair or Shadow Chair of Licensing Committee
N/A	N/A	Section Leader Licensing
	No Representations – Licensing Officer Representations resolved by conditions added to Licence – Licensing Sub- Committee, endorse to negate hearing Representations Not Resolved – Licensing Sub-Committee Licensing Sub-Committee Acknowledge Receipt – Section Leaders Licensing Manager Representations/Service of Counter Notice – Licensing Sub-Committee	Current Delegation(s)Committee AuthorisationNo Representations – Licensing OfficerLicensing Committee 02/03/2005Representations resolved by conditions added to Licence – Licensing Sub- Committee, endorse to negate hearingLicensing Committee 02/03/2005Representations Not Resolved – Licensing Sub-CommitteeLicensing Committee 02/03/2005Licensing Sub-CommitteeLicensing Committee 02/03/2005Licensing Sub-CommitteeLicensing Committee 02/03/2005Acknowledge Receipt – Section Leaders Licensing ManagerEM 25/05/06 CP 03/09/09 RE 14/02/11Representations/Service of Counter Notice – Licensing Sub-CommitteeN/AN/AN/A

Licence/Consent/Permit Type	Current Delegation(s)	Date of Committee Authorisation	Proposed Delegation(s)
Licensing Act 2003 continued/			
Minor Variations – Grant/Reject Applications in accordance with Legislative Reform Orders 2009	No representations - Chief Regulatory Services Officer	Licensing Committee 09/12/2009	Section Leader, Licensing
	Chief Regulatory Services Officer – Section Leader	16/06/2010	
	Relevant Representations - Licensing Sub- Committee		Relevant Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee
Personal Licence - Application	No Representations – Licensing Officer	Cabinet 23/02/2005	No Representations – Licensing Officer
	Representations – Licensing Sub- Committee	Licensing Committee 02/03/2005	Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee
Designated Premises Supervisor – Variation	No Representations – Licensing Officer	Cabinet 23/02/2005	No Representations – Licensing Officer
Variation	Representations – Licensing Sub- Committee	Licensing Committee 02/03/2005	Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee
Application Transfer Premises Licence/ Club Premises Certificate	No Representations – Licensing Officer	Cabinet 23/02/2005 Licensing	No Representations – Licensing Officer
	Representations – Licensing Sub- Committee	Committee 02/03/2005	Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee

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Licensing Act 2003 continued/			
Application for Interim Authority	No Representations – Licensing Officer Representations – Licensing Sub- Committee	Cabinet 23/02/2005 Licensing Committee 02/03/2005	No Representations – Licensing Officer Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee
Decision to object when Local Authority is a Consultee and not the relevant authority considering the application	Licensing Sub-Committee	Cabinet 23/02/2005 Licensing Committee 02/03/2005	Licensing Sub-Committee
Licensing Act 2003 Fees and Charges	Secretary of State	Cabinet 23/02/2005 Licensing Committee 02/03/2005	Secretary of State (Subject to revisions resulting from the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011)
Statement of Licensing Policy	Full Council	Full Council 03/11/2010 Effective from 07/01/2011	Full Council
Decision on whether a complaint is Irrelevant, Frivolous, Vexatious etc	Officers	Licensing Committee 02/03/2005	Section Leader, Licensing
<u>NEW</u> Power to suspend Premises Licence/Club Premises Certificate for non payment of annual fee			Section Leader, Licensing
<u>NEW</u> To authorise Licensing Authority as a responsible authority			Licensing Manager/Section Leader, Licensing

Licence/Consent/Permit Type	Current Delegation(s)	Date of Committee Authorisation	Proposed Delegation(s)
Gambling Act 2005			
New/Variations/Provisional Statements Applications	No Representations – Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	No Representations – Licensing Officer
	Representations Not Withdrawn – Licensing Sub-Committee		Representations Not Withdrawn – Licensing Sub-Committee
Transfer of Premises Licence	No Representations – Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	No Representations – Licensing Officer
	Representations from Gambling Commission – Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	Representations from Gambling Commission – Licensing Sub-Committee
Award Small Casino Licence	Licensing Sub-Committee		Licensing Sub-Committee
Premises Licence/Suspension/Revocation	Licensing Sub-Committee		Licensing Sub-Committee
Temporary Use Notice	No Representations – Officers Chief Regulatory Services Officer	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	No Representations – Section Leader, Licensing
	Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee		Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee
Occasional Use Notice	No Representations - Officers	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	No Representations – Officers

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Gambling Act 2005 continued/			
Application Club Gaming/Club Machine Permit	No Representations - Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	No Representations – Licensing Officer
	Representations Not Withdrawn – Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	Representations Not Withdrawn – Licensing Sub-Committee
Cancellation of Club Gaming/ Club Machine Permit	Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	Section Leader, Licensing/Licensing Officer
Alcohol Licensed Premises Gaming Machine Permit – Notification	Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	Licensing Officer
Cancellation Licensed Premises Gaming Machine Permits	Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	Section Leader, Licensing/Licensing Officer
Small Society Lotteries New/Renewal	Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 04/04/2007	Licensing Officer
Gambling Act Fees and Charges	Licensing Committee up to Maximum Limit Set by Secretary of State	Full Council 02/05/2007	Licensing Committee up to Maximum Limit set by Secretary of State
Statement of Gambling Policy	Full Council	Full Council 16/12/2009 Effective from 31/01/2010	Full Council
To authorise the Local Authority as a responsible authority			Licensing Manager/Section Leader, Licensing

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Street Trading			
Pitches – Create, Relocate or Deletion	Assistant Director, Regeneration	Licensing Committee 01/02/12	Assistant Director, Regeneration
Consents – Grant, Renewal, Revocation	Licensing Manager or Nominee with recommendations not to grant or renew to be agreed by Group Manager	Licensing Committee 26/07/2007	Section Leader, Licensing
	Appeal to Chief Environmental Services Officer	Licensing Committee 01/02/2012	Appeal to Licensing Manager
Private Land Consents	Licensing Manager or Nominee with recommendations not to grant or renew to be agreed by Group Manager	Licensing Committee 09/12/2009	Section Leader, Licensing
	Appeal to Chief Environmental Services Officer	Licensing Committee 09/12/2009	Appeal to Licensing Manager
Temporary/Street Trading Occasional Consents	Director of Regeneration and Environment	Licensing and Environmental Protection Panel 15/07/2009	Section Leader, Licensing
Change of Tradeline	Group Manager	Unknown	Section Leader, Licensing
Transfer of Street Trading Consent Subject to Consent Conditions	Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 24/03/2010	Section Leader, Licensing Appeal to Licensing Manager
Street Tradings Fees and Charges	Licensing Committee	Licensing Committee 01/02/2012	Licensing Committee

Licence/Consent/Permit Type	Current Delegation(s)	Date of Committee Authorisation	Proposed Delegation(s)
Hackney Carriage & Private Hire			
New Applications – Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence/Operators Licence	Chief Regulatory Services Officer now Assistant Director Regeneration or nominee/ Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 22/10/2010	Clear of guidelines – Licensing Officer
	Section Leader – within Policy Guidelines	Assistant Director Regeneration To Section Leader 15/11/2011 and 5/04/2012	Not clear of guidelines – Head of Regulatory Service/Service Managers within Regulatory Service/Section Leader, Licensing/Licensing Sub-Committee
Renewal Applications Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Drivers Licences/Operators Licence	Clear of Guidelines - Officers	Licensing Committee 24//09/2008	Licensing Officer
Reviews/Reviews Prior to Renewal – Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Drivers/Operators Licence	Chief Regulatory Services Officer/Heads of Service within Regeneration /Licensing Sub- Committee	Licensing Sub- Committee 22/09/2010	Head of Regulatory Service/Service Managers within Regulatory Service/Licensing Sub-Committee
New/Renewal Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Applications	Subject to Criteria – Licensing Officers	Licensing Committee 24//09/2008	Subject to Criteria - Licensing Officer
Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Fees and Charges	Licensing Committee	Licensing Committee 01/02/2012	Licensing Committee
Advertising on/in Hackney Carriages	Chair/Vice/Shadow Chair of Licensing Committee	Public Works and Highways 1984	Section Leader, Licensing, in accordance with approved policy

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Hackney Carriage & Private Hire co	ontinued /		
(a) "All Over"	Chair/Vice/Shadow Chair of Licensing Committee	Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Sub- Committee 07/11/1997	Section Leader, Licensing, in accordance with approved policy
(b) Tip Up Seats	Director Environmental and Technical Services	Public Works and Highways 24/01/1978 13/02/1980	Section Leader, Licensing, in accordance with approved policy
(c) Doors	Chair/Vice/Shadow Chair of Licensing Committee	Public Works and Highways 13/02/1980 / 12/11/1980	Section Leader, Licensing, in accordance with approved policy
(d) Rear Window	Chair/Vice/Shadow Chair of Licensing Committee	Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Sub- Committee 26/07/1995	Section Leader, Licensing, in accordance with approved policy
Advertising on/in Private Hire Vehicles	Policy – approved by Licensing Committee	Public Works and Highways 18/07/1984	Section Leader, Licensing, in accordance with approved policy
(a) Rear Window	Chief Regulatory Services Officer/nominee	Licensing Committee 04/01/2006	Section Leader, Licensing, in accordance with approved policy

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Hackney Carriage & Private Hire co	ontinued /		
(b) Rear Doors and Rear Wings	Group Manager Environmental Services	Licensing Committee 22/02/2006	Section Leader, Licensing, in accordance with approved policy
Private Hire Vehicle Identification Plate – Exemption Policy	Licensing Manager/Section Leader, Licensing in line with agreed policy	Licensing Committee 09/02/2011	Licensing Manager/Section Leader, Licensing in line with agreed policy
Limousines/Applications for Private Hire Vehicles	Chief Environmental Services Officer	Licensing Committee 22/02/2006	Licensing Manager/Section Leader, Licensing
Novelty Vehicles Applications for Private Hire Vehicles, Fire Engines etc	Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 22/02/2006	Licensing Manager/Licensing Sub-Committee
Approval of Hackney Carriage – Types	Chief Environmental Services Officer/nominee delegated to Group Manager	Licensing Committee 04/01/2006	Section Leader, Licensing, in accordance with approved policy
Approval of Hackney Carriage Fares	Licensing Committee	Licensing Committee 21/01/2009 Effective from 06/02/2009	Licensing Committee
Digital Advertising in Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle	Group Manager Regulatory Services/nominee in line with agreed policy	Licensing Committee 18/03/2009	Section Leader, Licensing, in accordance with approved policy

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General			
Sex Establishment Licence Shops/Cinema/Sexual Entertainment Venues New Applications	All Cases – Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008 Licensing Committee 09/11/2011	All Cases - Licensing Sub-Committee
Sex Establishment Licence Shops/Cinema/ Sexual Entertainment Venues Renewal Applications	No Representations - Assistant Director Regeneration Representations - Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008 Licensing Committee 09/11/2011	No Representations – Section Leader, Licensing Representations - Licensing Sub-Committee
Sex Establishment Shop/Cinema/ Sexual Entertainment Venues Variation Applications	All Cases - Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008 Licensing Committee 09/11/2011	Licensing Sub-Committee
Sex Establishment Licence Shop/Cinema/Sexual Entertainment Venues Transfer Applications	No Representations – Assistant Director Regeneration Representations	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008 Licensing Committee 09/11/2011	Section Leader, Licensing Licensing Sub-Committee
Revocation of Sex Establishment Licence	Full Committee	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008 Licensing Committee 09/11/2011	Licensing Sub-Committee

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General			
Street Collections	Licensing Officer	Licensing and Environmental Protection Panel 25/03/1998 Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer
House to House	Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer
Free Printed Matter	Licensing Officer	Cabinet 21/02/2007 Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer
Marriage Venues	Proper Officer - Director of Law Environmental Protection and Central Services	Environmental Health Committee 06/03/1995	Licensing Officer – signed off by Proper Officer
	Proper Officer – Chief Environmental Services Officer	Licensing Committee 16/11/2005	
	Proper Officer – Chief Officer Leisure and Cultural Services Proper Officer – Head of Parks, Bereavement and Registration Service	Green Decision 23/2/2010 Green Decision 30/03/2011	
	Appeal to Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Sub-Committee now Licensing Sub- Committee		Appeal to Licensing Sub-Committee

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General continued/			
'A' Boards	No Representations – Licensing Officer	Planning Committee 05/12/2006	No Representations – Licensing Officer
	Representations – Group Manager	03/12/2000	Representations/Non-Compliant with policy - Section Leader, Licensing
	Appeal to Chief Environmental Services Officer		Appeal to Licensing Manager
Table and Chairs	No Representations – Licensing Officer	Planning Committee	No Representations – Licensing Officer
	Representations – Group Manager within Environmental Services	05/12/2006	Representations/Non-Compliant with policy - Section Leader, Licensing
	Appeal to Chief Environmental Services Officer		Appeal to Licensing Manager
Goods on the Highways	No Representations – Licensing Officer	Planning Committee	No Representations – Licensing Officer
	Representations – Group Manager	05/12/2006	Representations/Non-Compliant with policy - Section Leader, Licensing
	Appeal to Chief Environmental Services Officer		Appeal to Licensing Manager
Sale of Non-Medical Poisons	Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer

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General continued/			
Motor Salvage Operators	No Representations – Licensing Officer Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing and Environmental Protection Panel 08/01/2003 Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	No Representations – Licensing Officer Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee
Scrap Metal Dealers Registration	Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer
Mini Bus Permits	Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer
Pet Shops	No Representations – Chief Environmental Health Officer Representations/Revocation of Licence – Environmental Health Committees, now Licensing Sub-Committee	Environmental Health Committee 09/10/1974 Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	No Representations – Licensing Officer Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee
Applications Acupuncture/Tattooing/ Electrolysis/Cosmetic Piercing and Permanent Skin Colouring	Licensing Officer	Environmental Health Committee 22/02/1984 Full Council 14/03/1984 Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer

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General continued/			
Zoos	No Representations – Licensing Officer Representations – Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	No Representations – Licensing Officer Representations/Review of Licence – Licensing Sub-Committee
Hypnotism	Licensing Officer	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer
Caravan Sites Grant – Attachment of Model Conditions	Assistant Director Regeneration or nominee	Licensing Committee 04/04/2012	Licensing Officer
Caravan Sites Grant – Attachment of Conditions other than all Model Conditions		Licensing Committee 04/04/2012	Licensing Sub-Committee
Caravan Sites Transfer			Licensing Officer
Caravan Sites Refusal			Licensing Officer
Caravan Sites Alteration of Conditions			No Representations - Licensing Officer Representations - Licensing Sub-Committee
Animal Boarding Establishments	Chief Environmental Health Officer Grounds for Refusal under the Act/ Revocation of Licence – Environmental Health Committees, now Licensing Sub-Committee	Environmental Health 09/10/1974 Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer Licensing Sub-Committee

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General continued/			
Dog Breeding	Chief Environmental Health Officer	Environmental Health Committee 09/10/1974	Licensing Officer
	Grounds for Refusal under the Act/ Revocation of Licence – Environmental Health Committee, now Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Sub-Committee
Dangerous Wild Animals	Licensing Officer Grounds for Refusal under the Act/ Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer Licensing Sub-Committee
Riding Establishments	Chief Environmental Health Officer Grounds for Refusal under the Act/ Revocation of Licence – Environmental Health Committee, now Licensing Sub-Committee	Environmental Health 09/10/1974 Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer Licensing Sub-Committee
Performing Animals	Licensing Officer Grounds for Refusal under the Act/ Revocation of Licence –Licensing Sub-Committee	Licensing Committee 24/09/2008	Licensing Officer Licensing Sub-Committee

The proposed delegation to officers is subject to an administrative process by working through checklists of approved policy/criteria prior to the issue of Licence/Registration/Permit/Notice etc.

I delegate authority for the decision making processes within the functions detailed above to the posts named in the proposed delegation column.

Charles Green Strategic Director for Education and Enterprise

Date: