Form A1

INITIAL SCREENING FOR STRATEGIES/POLICIES/FUNCTIONS FOR EQUALITIES RELEVANCE TO ELIMINATE DISCRIMINATION, PROMOTE EQUALITY AND FOSTER GOOD RELATIONS

	High relevance/priority		Medium relevance/priority	X	Low or no relevance/ priority
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Note:

- 1. Tick coloured boxes appropriately, and depending on degree of relevance to each of the equality strands
- 2. Summaries of the legislation/guidance should be used to assist this screening process

Business Unit/Services:		Relevance/Risk to Equalities																							
State the Function/Policy /Service/Strategy being assessed:		Gender		Race		[Disability		Sexual Orientation		Religion/Belief		Age		Gender Reassignment			Pregnancy/ Maternity			Marriage/ Civil Partnership (only for staff)				
Limitation of hackney carriages in the district																									
Are your proposals likely to disadvantaged communities Are your proposals likely to how.	s? Íf	f yes	s ple	ease	exp	lain	how	<i>I</i> .		•			-					-	•	exp	lain		NO		

Form A2 – Details of Plan/ Strategy/ Service/ Policy

Stage 1 – Scoping and Defining	
(1) What are the aims and objectives of Plan/Strategy/Service/Policy?	Policy change requested by the trade
(2) How does it fit with WDC Council's wider objectives?	N/A
(3) What are the expected outcomes?	Executive to agree to a limit or not – if they agree further consideration may be required with regard to wheel chair accessible vehicles, subject to any additional identified fleet development suggestions.
(4)Which of the groups with protected characteristics is this intended to benefit? (see form A1 for list of protected groups)	N/A
Stage 2 - Information Gathering	
(1) What type and range of evidence or information have you used to help you make a judgement about the plan/ strategy/ service/ policy?	Stakeholder consultations
(2) Have you consulted on the plan/ strategy/ service/policy and if so with whom?	Yes – Trade representative, local groups, public
(3) Which of the groups with protected characteristics have you consulted with?	Open consultation

Stage 3 – Analysis of impact			
(1) From your data and consultations is there any adverse or negative impact identified for any particular group which could amount to discrimination?	RACE	DISABILITY	GENDER
If yes, identify the groups and how they are affected.			
	MARRIAGE/CIVIL PARTNERSHIP	AGE	GENDER REASSIGNMENT
	RELIGION/BELIEF	PREGNANCY MATERNITY	SEXUAL ORIENTATION
(2) If there is an adverse impact, can this be justified?			1
(3)What actions are going to be taken to reduce or eliminate negative or adverse impact? (this should form part of your action plan under Stage 4.)	N/A		
(4) How does the plan/strategy/service/policy contribute to promotion of equality? If not what can be done?	N/A		
(5) How does the plan/strategy/service/policy promote good relations between groups? If not what can be done?	N/A		

Stage 4 – Action Planning, Review & Monitoring											
If No Further Action is required then go to – Review & Monitoring	No Further Action required.										
(1)Action Planning – Specify any changes or improvements which can be made to the	EqIA Action Plan										
service or policy to mitigate or eradicate negative or adverse impact on specific groups, including resource implications.	Action	Lead Officer	Date for completion	Resource requirements	Comments						
groups, morading resource implications.											
	Review of no	olicy/FIA subject to or	utcome at Execut	ive							
(2) Review and Monitoring	I I COVICAN OF DO										

N/A

Please annotate your policy with the following statement:

(6) Are there any obvious barriers to

overcome?

accessing the service? If yes how can they be

'An Equality Impact Assessment/ Analysis on this policy was undertaken on 12.09.17 and will be reviewed if a decision is made to put in a place a limit and any associated fleet development targets.