The following petition, supported by 11 signatures, was received on 19 January 2016

Re: Retention of the Current System in Relation to Taxi Licenses and Instruct an Independent Unmet Demand Survey

The Hackney Association was consulted on the possible delimitation of Hackney numbers within Hastings and we responded to the consultation.

We are against the proposal to delimit the numbers for the reasons outlined in our response and urge the council members to retain the current system and instruct that an independent unmet demand survey is carried out as soon as possible, I have been asked by the members of the Taxi Association to make this request of Council Members and would seek the opportunity to address the meeting in person. I have below a list of 11 signatures of licence Hackney Licence Holders who I represent.