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TRANSPORT ACT 2000

**The Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority Area
Franchising Scheme for Buses [****]**

Made [****]

Arrangement of the Scheme

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WHEREAS:

- A Transport Act 2000 (as amended) ("**2000 Act**") makes provision for a franchising authority to make a franchising scheme covering the whole or any part of its area. The CPCA is a franchising authority as defined in the 2000 Act.
- B The CPCA gave notice of its intention to prepare an assessment of a proposed scheme in accordance with sections 123B and section 123C(4) of the 2000 Act in June 2019. Having complied with the process as set out in the Act, the CPCA may determine to make the scheme in accordance with sections 123G and 123H of the 2000 Act.

NOW, therefore, the Mayor on behalf of the CPCA, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 123G and 123H of the 2000 Act, and of all other enabling powers, hereby **MAKES THE FOLLOWING FRANCHISING SCHEME (the "Scheme")**:

1 CITATION AND COMMENCEMENT

- 1.1 This Scheme may be cited as the Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority Area Franchising Scheme for Buses [****] and is made on [****].
- 1.2 This Scheme shall come into operation on [****] and shall remain in operation thereafter unless varied or revoked in accordance with the 2000 Act.

2 INTERPRETATION

2.1 In this Scheme:

- (a) "**1985 Act**" means the Transport Act 1985;
- (b) "**2000 Act**" has the meaning given to it in Recital A;
- (c) "**Commencement Date**" has the meaning ascribed to it in article 1.2;
- (d) "**CPCA**" means the Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority;
- (e) "**CPCA Area**" means the area consisting of the areas of Cambridgeshire County Council and Peterborough City Council;
- (f) "**Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority Area Bus Franchising Scheme Map**" means the map so described which is deposited at CPCA's offices at Pathfinder House, St Mary's Street, Huntingdon PE29 3TN.¹ (A smaller scale version of this plan is at Annex 4 for the purposes solely of illustration.)
- (g) "**Franchising Scheme Area**" means the CPCA Area;
- (h) "**Large Franchise Contracts**" shall mean a Local Service Contract which has a Peak Vehicle Requirement of no less than 35 vehicles;
- (i) "**Local Service Contract**" has the same meaning as in section 123A(5) of the 2000 Act;

¹ The map may be inspected at these offices and is available online at [web address]

- (j) **"Local Service"** has the same meaning as in section 2 of the 1985 Act;
- (k) **"Operator"** means a person operating a Local Service, and references to an Operator shall be construed in accordance with section 137(7) of the 1985 Act;
- (l) **"Peak Vehicle Requirement"** means the number of vehicles required to operate the Local Services in accordance with the terms of a Large Franchise Contract and at its highest frequency.

3 FRANCHISING SCHEME AREA

- 3.1 The CPCA Area is hereby designated as the area to which the Scheme relates.²

4 ENTRY INTO LOCAL SERVICE CONTRACTS

- 4.1 The date on which a Local Service Contract to provide a Local Service may first be entered into shall be [****].³
- 4.2 The minimum period that is to expire between the date set out in article 4.1 and the provision of a Local Service under a Local Service Contract shall be a period of 6 months.

5 SERVICES UNDER LOCAL SERVICE CONTRACTS

- 5.1 Subject to article 6, the Local Services that are appropriate, and are intended, to be provided under Local Service Contracts are those specified in Annex 1 of this Scheme.⁴

6 EXCEPTIONS FROM THE SCHEME

- 6.1 The Local Services excepted from regulation arising because of the Scheme are those listed in Annex 2 and Annex 3 of this Scheme.

7 SCHEME FACILITIES

- 7.1 The additional facilities that the CPCA consider appropriate to provide in the CPCA Area are such depots as may facilitate the letting of Large Franchise Contracts.

8 PLAN FOR CONSULTING ON OPERATION OF THE SCHEME

- 8.1 The CPCA will consult with such organisations as appear to the CPCA to be representative of users of Local Services, and may consult other organisations and persons, as the CPCA thinks fit.
- 8.2 The purpose of any consultation undertaken in accordance with this article 8 is to seek the views of the users of Local Services on how well the Scheme is working.⁵ CPCA will consult in

² Section 123H(3)(a)

³ Section 123H(2)(c)

⁴ Section 123H(2)(b)

accordance with this article 8 within a period of [twenty-four months] from the date set out in article 4.1 and at such other times periodically as the CPCA considers appropriate.

- 8.3 Any consultations carried out in accordance with this article 8 shall last for such period of time as the CPCA thinks fit so as to ensure that those organisations and persons described in article 8.1 have sufficient time to respond.
- 8.4 The CPCA will make available to the public its response to any consultation carried out in accordance with this article 8.

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**THE MAYOR OF CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND PETERBOROUGH
COMBINED AUTHORITY**

⁵ Section 123(A)(9)

ANNEXES TO THE SCHEME

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ANNEX 1: SERVICES INCLUDED - ARTICLE 5

General Services

To – From

1 Werrington - Orton
2 Paston – Peterborough Hospital
3 Bretton – Park Farm
4 Peterborough Hospital – Parnwell Centre
5/5A Welland – Yaxley
6 Peterborough City Centre - Hampton
23 Peterborough City Centre – Lynch Wood
29 Hampton – Peterborough Hospital
60 Peterborough City Centre - Orton
61 Peterborough City Centre – Newark Sainsbury's
63 Peterborough City Centre – Keys Park
31 Peterborough - Ramsey
33 Peterborough - March
Eye - Thorney
27 Stamford – Peterborough
48 Wittering - Peterborough
62 Peterborough - Maxey
415 Upwood - Peterborough
66 Wisbech Town
68 Wisbech Town
43A Sutton St James - Wisbech
46 March - Wisbech
50 Long Sutton - Wisbech
56 Benwick/Manea - Wisbech
33A March Town
302 March - St Ives
8A March - Cottenham
ZIP Ely - Ely
ZIP2 Chatteris - Ely
305 Chatteris - Huntingdon
21 Ramsey - St Ives
22/A Warboys - St Ives
301 Ramsey - St Ives
904 Peterborough - Huntingdon
AW1 Alconbury - Huntingdon
A Trumpington - St Ives
B Cambridge - Hinchingsbrooke Hosp
X2/X3 Addenbrookes - Hinchingsbrooke Hosp
1 St Ives - Barr Hill
V4 St Ives - Boxworth
V4 St Ives - Barr Hill
8 Hilton - Cambridge
9 Huntingdon - St Ives
9 St Ives - St Ives
300 St Ives town
401 Leighton Bromswold - Huntingdon
9 Cambridge - Littleport
11 Cambridge - Newmarket
12 Cambridge - Newmarket
112 Newmarket - Ely
9A Ely local
18 Newmarket - Fen Ditton (P&R)
203 Isleham/Fordham - Newmarket

Via

Peterborough City Centre
Peterborough City Centre, South Bretton
Peterborough City Centre
Peterborough City Centre
Peterborough City Centre

Orton
Orton
Stanground; Hampton

Parnwell
Whittlesey; Upward
Whittlesey; Coates

Wittering, Wansford, Castor
Wansford, Ailsworth, Castor (pre-book)
Newborough; Glinton; Etton
Wood Walton; Conington; Holme; Folksworth

Murrow, Parson Drove
Friday Bridge; Elm
Tydd St Giles, Leverington
Wimblington, March, Friday Bridge, Elm

Wimblington; Doddington; Chatteris; Warboys; Pidley
Doddington; Chatteris; Sutton; Witcham; Haddenham; Wiburton
Witcham; Haddenham; Wilburton; Stretham; Little Thetford turn
Mepal; Sutton; Witchford
Ramsey Forty Foot; Ramsey; Bury; Warboys; Hartford; Tesco; Oxmoor
Warboys; Pidley; Somersham; Colne; Earith; Bluntisham; Needingworth
Pidley; Woodhurst; Earith; Somersham; Bluntisham)
Warboys; Pidley; Somersham; Colne; Earith; Bluntisham; Needingworth
Hampton, Stilton, Sawtry, Alconbury, Lt Stukeley
Alconbury Weald; Stukeley
Addenbrooke's; Rail Station; New Sq; Orchard Pk W; Longstanton
New Sq; Cambridge N; Science Pk; Longstanton; St Ives; Hartford; Huntingdon
City Centre, Cambourne, Papworth Everard, Godmanchester, Huntingdon
Fenstanton; Fen Drayton
Fenstanton; Hilton
Fenstanton
Papworth Everard; Elsworth; Conington; Boxworth; Barr Hill
Godmanchester; Hemingfords
Hilton; Elsworth; Knapwell; Boxworth; Conington; Fenstanton

Winwick; Giddings; Buckworth; Barham; Woolley
Stretham; Ely
Lode, Swaffham Bulbeck, Swaffham Prior, Burwell, Exning
Bottisham
Fordham, Soham, Stuntney

Wilbraham; Fulbourn; Teversham

204 Isleham - Newmarket
 46A Haverhill - Newmarket
 47 Brinkley - Newmarket
 901-904 Dullingham - Newmarket
 110 Impington - Ely
 117 Upware - Ely
 125 Little Downham - Ely
 129 Black Horse Drove - Ely
 4 Cambridge - Cambourne
 18 Cambridge - St Neots
 66 Fenstanton - St Neots
 65 Buckden - St Neots
 61 St Neots town
 150 Tilbrook - Eynesbury
 400 Huntingdon - Kimbolton
 905 Bedford - Cambridge
 C2 Hatley - St Neots
 Ting West Huntingdonshire
 PR1 Cambridge - Madingley Rd P&R
 PR2 Cambridge - Newmarket Rd P&R
 PR3 Cambridge - Trumpington P&R
 PR4 Cambridge - Babraham Rd P&R
 PR5 Cambridge - Waterbeach
 1 Arbury – Fulbourn
 2 Milton – Addenbrooke’s
 3 Fison Road – Cherry Hinton
 5 Cambridge - Longstanton
 5A Longstanton - Swavesey
 6 Cambridge - Oakington
 8 Cambridge - Cottenham
 8A Cambridge City Centre – Orchard Park
 25 Trumpington P&R – Barbarham P&R
 16A Cambridge - Gt Thurlow
 19 Cambridge - Landbeach
 114 Chesterton - Addenbrookes
 114 Cambridge City Centre – Barnwell Rd
 199 Newnham - Cambridge City Centre
 7 Cambridge - Saffron Walden
 7 Cambridge - Pampisford
 7 Cambridge - Sawston
 7A Duxford - Sawston
 132 Cambridge - Saffron Walden
 13 Cambridge - Haverhill
 X13 Cambridge - Haverhill
 26 Cambridge - Royston
 31 Fowlmere - Addenbrookes
 32 Trumpington P&R - Trumpington P&R
 75 Wrestlingworth - Cambridge
 15 Haslingford - Royston
 17 Guiden Morden - Royston
 101 Whittlesford - Saffron Walden
 19 Burrough Green - Haverhill
 138 Nosterfield - Linton

Chippenham
 Linton, Brinkley, Dullingham
 Dullingham

 Histon, Rampton, Cottenham, Wilburton
 Soham

 Littleport, Burnt Fen
 Coton
 Grantchester; Barton; Comberton; Bourn; Cambourne; Lwr Cambourne
 Godmanchester; Huntingdon; Brampton, Buckden, Lt Paxton
 Offords; Gt Paxton
 Eynesbury - St Neots - Eaton Socon
 Kimbolton; Gt Staughton; Hail Weston; St Neots
 Ellington; Spaldwick; Kimbolton; Gt Staughton; Perry
 St Neots
 Gransdens, Gamlingay, Abbotsley
 DRT

 Milton P&R; Landbeach
 Cambridge City Centre; Addenbrookes; Cherry Hinton
 Cambridge City Centre; Romsey
 Cambridge City Centre
 Bar Hill
 Willingham
 Girton
 Arbury; Impington

 Addenbrooke's
 Addenbrooke's; Teversham; W Wrattling; Weston Colville; Gt Bradley
 Fen Ditton; Waterbeach Green
 City Centre; Beehive Retail; Barnwell Rd
 Beehive Retail

 Addenbrooke's, Sawston, Duxford, Ickleford, Lt Chesterford
 Addenbrooke's, Sawston
 Addenbrooke's
 Whittlesford; Hinxton; Pampisford
 Addenbrooke's, Sawston, Duxford, Ickleford, Lt Chesterford
 Addenbrookes, Linton, Horseheath
 Addenbrookes
 Trumpington, Foxton, Fowlmere, Meldreth, Melbourn
 Thriplow; Newton; Hauxton; Lt Shelford; Gt Shelford
 Hauxton; Lt Shelford; Harston; Hauxton
 Croydon; Wimploe; Orwell; Barrington; Haslingfield; Harlton; Barton
 Orwell; Bassingbourn
 Bassingbourn
 Duxford, Ickleton, Littlebury
 Weston Green, West Wrattling. Castle Camps
 Castle Camps

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ANNEX 2: EXCEPTED SERVICES - ARTICLE 6

To – From

X4	Peterborough – Northampton
XL	Peterborough – Norwich
37	Peterborough – Spalding
101	Peterborough – Bourne
102	Peterborough – Market Deeping
201/202	Peterborough – Stamford – Bourne
Call Connect - Stamford & Peterborough area DRT	
R4	Uppingham – Peterborough
180	Yarwell – Casterton College
46	Kings Lynn – Wisbech
60	Three Holes - Wisbech
U1/U2	Eddington – Cambridge City Centre – Addenbrooke’s Hospital
16	Newmarket – Bury St Edmunds
189/190	Biggleswade - Sandy
444	Barley – Saffron Walden
319	Audley End – Haverhill

Other services

- Community bus services operated under Section 22 Permits not under contract to CPCA
- Dedicated schools or works registered local bus services that are not eligible for BSOG
- Tourist sightseeing tours
- Rail replacement bus services

ANNEX 3: TEMPORARY EXCEPTION

Any Local Service specified in Annex 1 to this Scheme up until the effective time of the first Local Service Contract in which such Local Service is specified.

ANNEX : CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND PETERBOROUGH BUS FRANCHISING AREA

The area included in the Franchise Scheme is the entire area of the Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority (denoted by the lighter shading below).

