

APPENDIX B - Current Consultations – August/September 2015

Purpose of Document	Portfolio	Director	Response to be agreed by	Contact	Deadline for response
<p>Tackling rogue landlords and improving the private rental sector</p> <p>This invites views on proposals to tackle rogue landlords and letting agents as well as abandonment in the sector where a tenant disappears.</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/tackling-rogue-landlords-and-improving-the-private-rental-sector</p>	Strategy and Policy	Assistant Director (Environment)	Portfolio Holder in consultation with officers	Alasdair Bell	27 th August 2015
<p>Devolving Sunday trading rules</p> <p>Stores with a relevant floor area of over 280 square metres / 3000 square feet (large stores) have restricted opening hours on a Sunday, but smaller stores can open all day. We're seeking your views on whether the government should devolve Sunday trading rules to local areas, such as cities run by elected mayors and/or local authorities. This would give them greater control of their local economy and improve the wellbeing of local citizens. We will not make any changes to the restrictions on trading on Christmas Day or Easter Sunday.</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/devolving-sunday-trading-rules</p>	Area South	Assistant Director (Environment)	Portfolio Holder in consultation with officers	Nigel Marston	16 th September 2015