

To: All Members of the Council

Town House ABERDEEN, 20 November 2017

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING - FREEDOM OF THE CITY

The Members of ABERDEEN CITY COUNCIL are requested to meet at the Beach Ballroom on Saturday 25 November, 2017, at 4.15pm.

Under Section 206 (1) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, as amended in the following terms – "A local authority may, by resolution passed by not less than two-thirds of the Members voting thereon at a meeting of the authority the notice of which specifies the proposed admission as an item of business, admit to be honorary freemen of the area persons of distinction and any persons who have rendered eminent service to their area".

Aberdeen City Council at its meeting on 15 March 2017, and subsequently, agreed unanimously to admit Denis Law as an honorary freeman of the City in recognition of his outstanding career as a world renowned footballer, his dedication to charitable endeavour and his commitment to community sport in Aberdeen.

Now in implementation of the decision of 15 March 2017, the conferral ceremony will take place on Saturday 25 November, 2017, at 4.15pm.

This is a formal calling notice for the Freedom conferral ceremony. The ceremony is considered to be a meeting of Aberdeen City Council and as such a formal agenda is required. Please note that all arrangements for the meeting are being made by the Civic Team. This agenda should not be seen as superseding any of the arrangements. Will Members unable to attend the ceremony please be assured that the meeting will be quorate in that the number of Members who have indicated that they are able to attend exceeds the quorum for a Council meeting.

FRASER BELL HEAD OF LEGAL AND DEMOCRATIC SERVICES