

LOCAL GOVERNMENT 1972
LOCAL GOVERNMENT & RATING ACT 1997

CHILTERN DISTRICT COUNCIL

**LITTLE CHALFONT PARISH COUNCIL (ESTABLISHMENT)
ORDER 2007**

WHEREAS:-

- (1) In exercise of powers contained in Section 14 of the Local Government and Rating Act 1997 the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government by Order made on 5 February 2007 ('the Parish Establishment Order') established on and from 1 April 2007 a separate parish of Little Chalfont comprising the Little Chalfont ward of the town parish of Amersham and the northern part of the parish of Chalfont St. Giles the precise area of the parish being delineated in map 1 referred to in the Parish Establishment Order.
- (2) In the Parish Establishment Order the Secretary of State (inter alia) directed Chiltern District Council ('the District Council') to establish a Parish Council for the parish of Little Chalfont
- (3) In exercise of powers contained in Section 14 (1A) of the Local Government and Rating Act 1997 the Electoral Commission by Order made on 8 February 2007 ('the Electoral Arrangements Order') prescribed the democratic and electoral arrangements for the Parish Council to be established by the District Council.

IN EXERCISE of its powers under Sections 16 and 23 of the Local Government and Rating Act 1997 the District Council **HEREBY** makes the following Order:-

1. On and from the first day of April 2007 there shall be established a Parish Council for the parish of Little Chalfont.
2. The Parish Council for the parish of Little Chalfont shall be known as Little Chalfont Parish Council.
3. The first elections to Little Chalfont Parish Council shall be held on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2007 in accordance with the provisions of the Electoral Arrangements Order.
4. The inaugural Annual Meeting of Little Chalfont Parish Council shall be held within 14 days of the day on which the first Parish Councillors shall take office and shall be convened by the Proper Officer of the District Council.

I hereby certify that this is a
true copy of the original

Signed
Solicitor

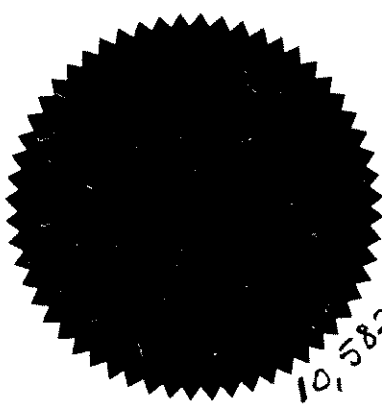
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5. The functions and liabilities that will transfer from Amersham Town Council and Chalfont St Giles Parish Council to Little Chalfont Parish Council shall for the purposes of the budget calculations of Amersham Town Council and Chalfont St Giles Parish Council for the financial year 2007/08 be treated as functions and liabilities of the councils from which they are to be transferred and Amersham Town Council and Chalfont St Giles Parish Council are **HEREBY DIRECTED** to include such functions and liabilities in their respective budget calculations for 2007/08 and for those purposes to include in their precepts or substitute precepts for 2007/08 the following amounts:-
 - (i) Amersham Town Council - One Hundred and Seventy Four Thousand Pounds (£174,000.00) ('the Amersham Amount').
 - (ii) Chalfont St Giles Parish Council - Twenty Two Thousand Pounds (£22,000.00) ('the Chalfont St Giles Amount').
6. The Amersham Amount and the Chalfont St Giles Amount shall not be treated as liabilities of the District Council to Amersham Town Council or Chalfont St Giles Parish Council for the purposes of the Local Authorities (Funds) (England) Regulations 1992 and the District Council shall be entitled to retain in the collection account the Amersham Amount and the Chalfont St Giles Amount and shall hold such amounts to the order of Little Chalfont Parish Council.
7. Any precept issued by Little Chalfont Parish Council in respect of financial year 2007/8 shall not exceed One Hundred and Ninety Six Thousand Pounds (£196,000.00) and shall have credited against it any amounts advanced to Little Chalfont Parish Council in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph 6 above.
8. If Amersham Town Council and/or Chalfont St Giles Parish Council fails to comply with the Direction set out in Paragraph 5 above (hereinafter referred to as 'a defaulting Council') the District Council shall be entitled to:-
 - (i) add to the precept or substitute precept set by a defaulting Council the Amersham Amount or the Chalfont St Giles amount (as the case may be) (but without prejudice to the right of a defaulting Council to issue further substitute precepts in 2007/8);
 - (ii) treat for billing purposes as the 2007/8 precept of a defaulting Council the amount produced by the addition of the Amersham Amount or the Chalfont St Giles Amount (as the case may be) to the precept or substitute precept set by a defaulting Council; and
 - (iii) retain the Amersham Amount and/or the Chalfont St Giles Amount (as the case may be) in the manner and for the purposes set out in Paragraph 6 above.

9. This Order may be cited as the Little Chalfont Parish Council (Establishment) Order 2007 and shall come into operation on 27 February 2007.

The Common Seal of)
Chiltern District Council)
was hereunto affixed this)
27th day of February 2007)
in the presence of :-)

Chairman of the Council


J.A. Rankin

Head of Legal Services

Mark Little
