## MINUTES OF AN EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL HELD AT 8.30AM ON FRIDAY 25 JULY 2008

**PRESENT:** The Mayor, Bob Parker (Chairperson).

Councillors Helen Broughton, Sally Buck, Ngaire Button, Barry Corbett, David Cox, Yani Johanson, Claudia Reid, Bob Shearing, Sue Wells and Chrissie Williams.

## 1. APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Wall and Withers. Leave of absence had been granted to Councillor Sheriff.

It was **resolved** on the motion of the Mayor, seconded by Councillor Shearing, that the apologies be accepted.

## 2. RESOLUTION TO EXCLUDE THE PUBLIC

It was **resolved** on the motion of the Mayor, seconded by Councillor Wells:

- 1. That the resolution to exclude the public set out on page 4 of the agenda be adopted.
- 2. That John Buchan be permitted to remain at the meeting following the exclusion of the public, in his capacity as a commercial lawyer from Buddle Findlay, to enable him to advise the Council as requested for the purposes of providing advice of a commercial law nature.

**CONFIRMED THIS 28TH DAY OF AUGUST 2008** 

**MAYOR**