Subject: Proposal for an Investigation Into the Future of Ticketing

Report to: Transport Committee

Report of: Executive Director of Secretariat Date: 14 July 2011

This report will be considered in public

1. Summary

1.1 This report sets out a proposal for the Transport Committee to undertake an investigation into the future of ticketing.

2. Recommendation

2.1 That the Committee agrees the proposal for an investigation into the future of ticketing, including the proposed terms of reference, as set out at Appendix 1 of this report.

3. Background

3.1 The Transport Committee agreed as part of its 2011/12 work programme to undertake an investigation into ticketing. Members identified a range of issues that might be covered by this investigation including future developments in ticketing. Following research into these issues, a proposal has been developed to provide for the Committee to investigate the future of ticketing including TfL's plans for future ticketing such as allowing the use of contactless bank cards as tickets from next year.

4. Issues for Consideration

4.1 The paper providing a detailed proposal and terms of reference for the Committee's investigation into the future of ticketing is attached at **Appendix 1** for agreement. Subject to approval, the Committee will seek written views and information to inform its investigation and use its meeting on 6 September 2011 to discuss this topic in detail.

5. Legal Implications

5.1 The Committee has the power to do what is recommended in this report.

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6. Financial Implications

6.1 There are no financial implications to the GLA arising from this report.

List of appendices to this report:

Appendix 1 – Proposal for Transport Committee investigation into the future of ticketing

Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985

List of Background Papers: None

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