FULL COUNCIL - WEDNESDAY, 19 JULY 2017

Written question from Dave Miller to Councillor Ian Ward, Cabinet Member for Infrastructure and Transport

Further to the response at last week's cabinet about car park machines charging for non-chargeable hours, and statements about the floating bridge having to be commissioned in public, why were the car park machines specified and/or commissioned incorrectly (with the consequential impact to residents, visitors, and businesses - time and cost)?

Response

'The car park ticket machines were programmed to reflect the charging bands as stated in the Parking Places Order. A slight oversight was made as consideration to tickets purchased prior to the hours of charging, which has now been rectified. The Civil Enforcement Officers were aware that any tickets purchased prior to 0800 would be interpreted as commencing at 0800.'