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MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD AT THE CITY CLUB ON WEDNESDAY 27TH JANUARY 2010

The meeting began at 2000 hrs with a minute's silence for fallen and missing comrades.

Present were: Barry Cobbold, Colonel David, George Ayling, Mike Humme, Eddie Drew, Malcolm Nash, Stuart Ingrey and Barry Cooper.

Apologies were received from: Pete Catchpole, Liam Wildish, Clive Gerrelli, Bob Keen, John and Dave Covey, Harry Harris, Tony Talman, Blue Cooper, Mick Gill, Tony Tilley, Pete Alner, Graeme Maidment and Paul Daines.

Chairman's and Secretary's Report: Barry reported that it was with great delight he could report the processing of three new members - Barry Cooper (now confirmed), Terry Spicer and John Chiles. Barry also welcomed Barry Cooper back to the Branch after a long absence.

Entertainment Report: The plans for the Albuhera Dinner are well in order. Barry also said that if it could be arranged we could organise a trip somewhere. He mentioned that unlike other branches where most members are retired, most of ours are still working, so we cannot do mid-week trips.

Welfare: Barry reported the sad death of Jay Edwards, the wife of Pete and stated that he, Pete Alner, Mick Bright and Allen Drew had attended the cremation.

AOB: Nil.

There being nothing further to discuss the meeting closed at 2015 hrs and members stayed afterwards for a chat and drinks.

The next meeting will be the AGM on Wednesday 31 March 2010 at 1930 hrs at the City Cub. After the AGM sandwiches will be served.