SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

Licensing Sub-Committee

Meeting held 4 February 2013

PRESENT: Councillors John Robson (Chair), Nikki Sharpe, Clive Skelton and Philip Wood

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1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

1.1 There were no apologies for absence.

2. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

2.1 RESOLVED: That the public and press be excluded from the meeting before discussion takes place on agenda item 4 on the grounds that, if the public and press were present during the transaction of such business, there would be a disclosure to them of exempt information as described in paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, as amended.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

3.1 There were no declarations of interest.

4. HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENSING - INDIVIDUAL CASES

- 4.1 The Chief Licensing Officer submitted details in respect of three cases relating to Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licensing.
- 4.2 The applicant in Case No. 10/13 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.3 The applicant in Case No. 11/13 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.4 The applicant in Case No. 70/12 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.5 RESOLVED: That the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

4.6 <u>Case No.</u> <u>Licence Type</u> <u>Decision</u>

10/13 Application for the renewal of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence Grant for the normal term of 18 months, on the condition that the applicant successfully completes an NVQ course "The

introduction to the role of a

professional private hire and hackney carriage driver" or similar course approved by the City Council, due to the number of points accrued by the applicant for speeding.

- 11/13 Application for the renewal of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence (a) Grant a licence for the term of nine months, subject to there being no further cause for concern and (b) the applicant be given a written warning as to his future conduct.
- 70/12 Defer a decision on the Application for a Private Hire Operator's Licence application in the light of the challenge by the applicant with regard to the result of his Criminal Records Bureau (CRB) check, and arrangements be made for the application to be considered as soon as is practicable, after confirmation has been received from the applicant as to the outcome of his CRB check and his intention as to how he wishes to proceed with his application.