SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

Licensing Sub-Committee

Meeting held 30 September 2013

PRESENT: Councillors Clive Skelton (Deputy Chair), Adam Hurst and Nikki Bond

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1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

1.1 Apologies for absence were received from the Chair (Councillor John Robson) and Councillor Roger Davison.

2. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

2.1 RESOLVED: That the public and press be excluded from the meeting before discussion takes place on 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 two cases relating to Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licensing.
- 4.2 The applicant in Case No. 70/13 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.3 The applicant in Case No. 80/13 did not attend the hearing.
- 4.4 RESOLVED: That the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

| <u>Case No.</u> | <u>Licence Type</u> | <u>Decision</u> |
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| 70/13 | Application for a new Private Hire Vehicle Licence | Agreed to depart from the current Licensing Policy and issue a licence for the normal term of 12 months in the light of the applicant's exceptional circumstances. |
| 80/13 | Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence | Defer consideration of the review in order to give the applicant one further opportunity to attend and |

present his case.