### SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

## **Licensing Sub-Committee**

### Meeting held 16 June 2020

**PRESENT:** Councillors Andy Bainbridge (Chair), Dawn Dale and Ruth Mersereau

(NOTE: This meeting was held as a remote meeting in accordance with the provisions of The Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panels (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020.)

# 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

1.1 An apology for absence was received from Councillor Adam Hurst.

#### 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 5 on the agenda (item 4 on these minutes) 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. 46/20 attended the meeting and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.3 The applicant in Case No. 47/20 attended the meeting and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.4 RESOLVED: That, after consideration of the information contained in the case papers, and the information now reported, and where relevant, circulated at the meeting, the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

Case No.	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
46/20	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire	(a) Grant a licence for 12 months on the grounds that the Sub-Committee now considers the

applicant to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence and (b) the applicant be given a written warning as to his future conduct, to remain live for the term of the licence.

47/20

Application for the renewal of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence

(a) Grant a licence for 12 months, subject to the applicant completing the Level 2 course – "Introduction to the Role of Professional Taxi and Private Hire Taxi Driver' and (b) the applicant be given a written warning as to his future conduct, to remain live for the term of the licence.