### SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

## **Licensing Sub-Committee**

# Meeting held 24 February 2014

**PRESENT:** Councillors Clive Skelton (Chair), Joyce Wright and Neale Gibson

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### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

1.1 An apology for absence was received from Councillor Nikki Sharpe.

#### 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. 38/13 did not attend the hearing.
- 4.3 The licence holder in Case No. 13/14 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.4 RESOLVED: That the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

Case No.	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
38/13	Application for a new Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Defer consideration of the application and inform the applicant that the application will be considered at a meeting of the Sub-Committee in four weeks' time
13/14	Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Revoke the licence under Section 61 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 as the

Sub-Committee considers that, in the light of the number and nature of the offences and convictions now reported, and the responses to the questions raised, the licence holder is not a fit and proper person to hold a licence.