# SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

## **Licensing Sub-Committee**

### Meeting held 10 August 2021

**PRESENT:** Councillors Lewis Chinchen, Josie Paszek and Vickie Priestley

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#### 1. APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR

1.1 RESOLVED: That in the absence of the scheduled Co-Chair of the Sub-Committee (Councillor David Barker), Councillor Josie Paszek be appointed Chair of the meeting.

### 2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2.1 Apologies for absence were received from the scheduled Co-Chair of the Sub-Committee (Councillor David Barker) and Councillor Sioned-Mair Richards.

### 3. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

3.1 RESOLVED: That the public and press be excluded from the meeting before discussion takes place on item 5 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.

## 4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

4.1 There were no declarations of interest.

#### 5. HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENSING - INDIVIDUAL CASES

- 5.1 The Chief Licensing Officer submitted details in respect of four cases relating to hackney carriage and private hire licensing.
- 5.2 The licence holder in Case No. 49/21 attended the hearing with two representatives, and they all addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 5.3 The licence holder in Case No. 51/21 attended the hearing with two representatives, and they all addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 5.4 The licence holder in Case No. 52/21 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 5.5 The applicant in Case No. 56/21 attended the hearing with a representative, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.

5.6 RESOLVED: That, after consideration of the information contained in the case papers, the information now reported and, where relevant, information circulated prior to the hearing, the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Licence Type</u>	Decision
49/21	Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	The licence holder be given a written warning as to his future conduct, to remain live for the term of his current licence.
51/21	Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	The licence holder be given a written warning as to his future conduct, to remain live for the term of his current licence.
52/21	Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	The licence holder be given a written warning as to his future conduct, to remain live for the term of his current licence, and a further 12 months of his next licence.
56/21	Application for the renewal of a Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Grant a licence for 12 months on the grounds that the applicant has provided sufficient evidence to convince the Sub-Committee that there are exceptional reasons to deviate from the current policy on the age limit of vehicles.