### SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

## **Licensing Sub-Committee**

## Meeting held 16 June 2015

PRESENT: Councillors David Barker (Chair), Neale Gibson and Vickie Priestley

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#### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

1.1 No apologies for absence were received. Councillor Nikki Bond attended the meeting as a reserve Member, but was not required to stay.

#### 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 three cases relating to hackney carriage and private hire licensing.
- 4.2 The applicant in Case No. 34/15 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.3 The applicant in Case No. 42/15 attended the hearing, accompanied by a representative from a private hire company, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.4 The applicant in Case No. 43/15 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.5 RESOLVED: That the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

4.6	Case No.	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
	34/15	Application to renew a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	(a) Grant a licence for the normal term of 18 months and (b) the applicant be given a written warning in terms of his future conduct, to remain on his licence for 18 months, warning

		received during this period, with regard to his honesty, the licence would be referred back to the Sub-Committee.
42/15	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Grant a licence for the normal term of nine months and, on the first renewal, authority be given to grant the applicant a 12 month licence and, on any subsequent renewals, an 18 month licence, subject to there being no further cause for concern.
43/15	Application to renew a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Grant a licence for the normal term of 18 months.