### SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

# **Licensing Sub-Committee**

# Meeting held 2 February 2016

PRESENT: Councillors David Barker (Chair), Vickie Priestley and Zoe Sykes

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### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

1.1 No apologies for absence were received. Councillor Jack Clarkson 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 four cases relating to hackney carriage and private hire licensing.
- 4.2 The applicant in Case No. 06/16 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.3 The applicant in Case No. 07/16 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.4 The applicant in Case No. 08/16 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.5 The applicant in Case No. 09/16 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.6 RESOLVED: That the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

| Case No. | <u>Licence Type</u>   | <u>Decision</u>   |
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| 06/16    | Application to renew a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence | Refuse to grant a licence in the light of the circumstances of the case, the information now reported, the responses to the questions raised and in accordance with the Council's |

|       |  | policy on plying for hire.   |
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| 07/16 | Application to renew<br>a Hackney Carriage<br>and Private Hire<br>Driver's Licence | Refuse to grant a licence in the light of the circumstances of the case, the information now reported, the responses to the questions raised and in accordance with the Council's policy on plying for hire.                             |
| 08/16 | Application to renew<br>a Hackney Carriage<br>and Private Hire<br>Driver's Licence | Refuse to grant a licence in the light of the circumstances of the case, the information now reported, the responses to the questions raised and in accordance with the Council's policy on plying for hire.                             |
| 09/16 | Application to renew<br>a Hackney Carriage<br>and Private Hire<br>Driver's Licence | (a) Grant a licence for up to the maximum term of 24 months, as requested by the applicant and (b) the applicant be given a written warning as to his future conduct, to remain on his licence for the full term of the licence granted. |