SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

Licensing Sub-Committee

Meeting held 18 April 2019

PRESENT: Councillors David Barker (Chair), Lisa Banes and Douglas Johnson

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1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

1.1 No apologies for absence were received. Councillor Cliff Woodcraft 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. Clive Stephenson (Licensing and Strategy Policy Officer) reported that Case No.40/19 was withdrawn as the matter had been resolved prior to the hearing.
- 4.2 The licence holder in Case No.39/19 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.3 The applicant in Case No.41/19 attended the hearing with a representative, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.4 RESOLVED: That, after consideration of the information contained in the case papers, and the information reported at the meeting, the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

<u>Case No.</u> <u>Licence Type</u>

Decision

39/19 Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 as, in the light of the offences and

(Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 as, in the light of the offences and convictions now reported, the Sub-Committee no longer considers the

licence holder to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence.

41/19 Application for a new Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence Grant the licence for the term of three years as applied for.