

Licensing Sub-Committee

Meeting held 13 January 2020

**PRESENT:** Councillors Roger Davison, Mick Rooney and Adam Hurst and Mick Rooney

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**1. APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR**

1.1 RESOLVED: That, in the absence of the Chair of the Sub-Committee (Councillor Andy Bainbridge), Councillor Mick Rooney be appointed Chair of the meeting.

**2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

2.1 An apology for absence was received from the Chair (Councillor Andy Bainbridge).

**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 agenda 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 three cases relating to hackney carriage and private hire licensing.

5.2 The applicant in Case No. 02/20 attended the hearing with his wife, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.

5.3 The applicant in Case No. 03/20 attended the hearing with a representative and his father, and they all addressed the Sub-Committee.

5.4 The applicant in Case No. 04/20 attended the hearing with a representative, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.

5.5 RESOLVED: That, after consideration of the information contained in the case papers, and the information now reported, and where relevant, circulated at the meeting, the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
02/20	Application for a Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Grant a licence for 12 months on the grounds that the applicant has provided sufficient information to convince the Sub-Committee that there are exceptional reasons to deviate from the current policy on the age limit of vehicles.
03/20	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Grant a licence for three years, as requested, on the grounds that the Sub-Committee considers the applicant to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence.
04/20	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Grant a licence for three years, as requested, on the grounds that the Sub-Committee considers the applicant to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence.