## SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

# **Licensing Sub-Committee**

# Meeting held 28 June 2022

PRESENT: Councillors David Barker (Chair), Roger Davison, Maroof Raouf and

Cliff Woodcraft

# 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

1.1 There were no apologies for absence.

## 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 5 on the agenda (item 4 of these minutes) 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 Councillor Maroof Raouf declared a personal interest in Case No. 101/22 and did not take part in the consideration of that case.

### 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.101/22 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.3 The applicant in Case No.92/22 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.4 The applicant in Case No.102/22 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.5 The applicant in Case No.95/22 attended the hearing with his brother and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.6 RESOLVED: That, after consideration of the information contained in the case papers, and the information now reported and, where relevant, circulated either prior to the meeting, but after publication of the agenda, or at the meeting, the

cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

Case No.	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
101/22	Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence	Lift the suspension and the licence holder be issued with a written warning with regard to his future conduct, such warning to remain live for the term of his current licence.
92/22	Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence	The licence holder be (a) given a written warning as to his future conduct, to remain live for three years and (b) required to complete the BTEC Level 2 Certificate 'The Introduction to the Role of Professional Private Hire and Taxi Driver' prior to his next licence renewal date.
102/22	Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence	Take no action.
95/22	Application to extend a Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Refuse to extend the licence on the grounds that the applicant has not 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.