

**SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL**

**Licensing Sub-Committee**

**Meeting held 23 March 2021**

(NOTE: This meeting was held as a remote meeting in accordance with the provisions of The Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panels (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020.)

**PRESENT:** Councillors Andy Bainbridge (Chair) and Douglas Johnson

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**1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

1.1 Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Sioned-Mair Richards and Mick Rooney.

**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 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 a case relating to a renewal of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licensing (Case No.03/21).

4.2 The applicant attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.

4.3 RESOLVED: That, after consideration of the information contained in the case papers and information reported at the meeting, the Sub-Committee determined (a) to grant a licence for the term of one year, as requested, but in the light of the repeated offences and convictions now reported, the applicant be given a written warning as to his future conduct, to remain live for the term of the licence and (b) the applicant be required to complete the 'The Introduction to the Role of Professional Private Hire and Taxi Driver' course.

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