

MINUTES OF GENERAL LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE PANEL

MEETING DATE Tuesday, 20 February 2018

MEMBERS PRESENT: Councillors Mike Nelson (Chair), Mary Green, Ken Jones,

Jim Marsh and David Watts

OFFICERS: Andy Glover (Interim Licensing Manager) and Andy Houlker

(Senior Democratic Services Officer)

OTHER MEMBERS Stephanie Fairbrother (Licensing Officer) and Peter Haywood

AND OFFICERS: (Revenues Manager)

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13 Apologies for absence

None, all members were present.

14 Declarations of Any Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

15 Exclusion of the Press and Public

RESOLVED (Unanimously):

That the press and public be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the following item of business as it involved the discussion of information defined as exempt from publication under paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, 'information relating to any individual' and in which the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing it.

16 Application for a Private Hire Driver's Licence

The Panel received a report on an application for a Private Hire Driver's Licence.

The Chair referred those present to the circulated established procedure for hearings and the process that would be followed.

The licensed driver was present and addressed the Panel. During the proceedings a character referee on behalf of the applicant addressed the Panel.

The Panel also received representations from the Council's Interim Licensing Manager.

RESOLVED (For: 4, Against: 1):

That the applicant was not felt to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence and that a Private Hire Driver's Licence not be granted.	
Chair	Date