#### SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

## **Licensing Sub-Committee**

# Meeting held 17 January 2017

PRESENT: Councillors Alan Law (Chair), George Lindars-Hammond, Gail Smith

and Andy Bainbridge

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### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

1.1 No apologies for absence were received. Councillor George Lindars-Hammond attended the meeting, but did not 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 two cases relating to hackney carriage and private hire licensing.
- 4.2 The applicant in Case No. 02/17 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.3 The applicant in Case No. 03/17 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.4 RESOLVED: That the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

Case No.	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
02/17	Application for a new Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Refuse to grant a licence as the Sub-Committee does not consider the applicant to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence, in the light of the offences and convictions now reported and the responses given to the questions raised.

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Application for a new Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence (a) Grant a licence for a shorter term of six months, in the light of the offences and convictions now reported and (b) the applicant be given a written warning, indicating that if there is any further cause for concern, the licence will be referred back to the Sub-Committee.

