

# SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

## Licensing Sub-Committee

### Meeting held 15 August 2017

**PRESENT:** Councillors Josie Paszek (Chair), Jack Clarkson, Neale Gibson and Lisa Banes

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#### **1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

1.1 No apologies for absence were received.

#### **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**

2.1 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 three cases relating to hackney carriage and private hire licensing.

4.2 The applicant in Case No. 95/17 was not able to attend the hearing.

4.3 The applicant in Case No. 96/17 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.

4.4 The applicant in Case No. 97/17 attended the hearing with a representative, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.

4.5 RESOLVED: That the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
95/17	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Defer consideration of the application to enable the applicant to attend a future hearing.
96/17	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire	(a) Grant a licence for the shorter term of three months in the light of the offence and conviction now

Driver's Licence reported, subject to the applicant taking and passing the knowledge and driving tests and, subject to there being no cause for concern, a licence be granted for a further term of six months and, subject to there being no further cause for concern, a licence be granted for the term requested, (b) the applicant be requested to undertake a drugs test within the first three-month licence period and (c) the applicant be given a written warning, to remain on his licence for a period of nine months, indicating that if there is any further cause for concern, the licence will be referred back to the Sub-Committee.

97/17 Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence Grant a licence for the term requested.