

SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

Licensing Sub-Committee

Meeting held 14 August 2018

PRESENT: Councillors David Barker (Chair), George Lindars-Hammond and Joe Otten

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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 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 three cases relating to hackney carriage and private hire licensing.

4.2 The applicant in Case No.79/18 attended the hearing with his representative, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.

4.3 The applicant in Case No. 80/18 attended the hearing, and addressed the Sub-Committee.

4.4 The applicant in Case No.81/18 attended the hearing with his representative, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.

4.5 RESOLVED: That, after consideration of the information contained in the case papers and, where relevant, any additional information submitted to, or reported at, the meeting, the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
79/18	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	(a) Grant a licence for the shorter term of 12 months in the light of the offence now reported and (b) on

renewal, authority be given to grant the applicant a licence for the remainder of the term requested, subject to there being no further cause for concern.

80/18 Application for a
Hackney Carriage and
Private Hire Driver's
Licence

Grant a licence for the term of 12 months, as requested, subject to the applicant successfully passing all tests normally required of a new applicant.

81/18 Application for a new
Private Hire Vehicle
Licence

Grant a licence for up to 12 months, as applied for, subject to (a) all work being carried out to a professional standard by a competent body shop; (b) the carrying out, if requested by the tester or the Licensing Service, of a Chassis Alignment Check providing evidence that the vehicle is within the manufacturer's tolerances; and (c) the tester being satisfied that the general vehicle structure has not been compromised, and that in the event of another accident, the crumple zone and vehicle structure would perform as the manufacturer intended.