

SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

Licensing Sub-Committee

Meeting held 13 January 2020

PRESENT: Councillors Roger Davison, Mick Rooney and Adam Hurst and Mick Rooney

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1. APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR

1.1 RESOLVED: That, in the absence of the Chair of the Sub-Committee (Councillor Andy Bainbridge), Councillor Mick Rooney be appointed Chair of the meeting.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2.1 An apology for absence was received from the Chair (Councillor Andy Bainbridge).

3. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

3.1 RESOLVED: That the public and press be excluded from the meeting before discussion takes place on item 5 on the agenda 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.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

4.1 There were no declarations of interest.

5. HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENSING - INDIVIDUAL CASES

5.1 The Chief Licensing Officer submitted details in respect of three cases relating to hackney carriage and private hire licensing.

5.2 The applicant in Case No. 02/20 attended the hearing with his wife, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.

5.3 The applicant in Case No. 03/20 attended the hearing with a representative and his father, and they all addressed the Sub-Committee.

5.4 The applicant in Case No. 04/20 attended the hearing with a representative, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.

5.5 RESOLVED: That, after consideration of the information contained in the case papers, and the information now reported, and where relevant, circulated at the meeting, the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
02/20	Application for a Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Grant a licence for 12 months on the grounds that the applicant has provided sufficient information to convince the Sub-Committee that there are exceptional reasons to deviate from the current policy on the age limit of vehicles.
03/20	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Grant a licence for three years, as requested, on the grounds that the Sub-Committee considers the applicant to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence.
04/20	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Grant a licence for three years, as requested, on the grounds that the Sub-Committee considers the applicant to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence.