

# SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

## Licensing Sub-Committee

### Meeting held 6 June 2022

**PRESENT:** Councillors George Lindars-Hammond (Chair)

#### **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 5 on the agenda (item 4 of these minutes) 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.87/22 had indicated he would not be attending the hearing and had asked that the case be heard in his absence.

4.3 The applicant in Case No.90/22 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.

4.4 The applicant in Case No.91/22 was unable to attend the hearing and had asked that his case be deferred to a future date.

4.5 RESOLVED: That, after consideration of the information contained in the case papers, and the information now reported and, where relevant, circulated either prior to the meeting, but after publication of the agenda, or at the meeting, the cases now submitted be determined as follows:-

<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
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87/22	Application to Extend a Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Refuse to extend the licence on the grounds that the applicant has not provided sufficient evidence to convince the Sub-Committee that there are exceptional reasons to deviate from the current policy on the age limit of vehicles.
90/22	Application to renew a Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Renew the licence for 12 months as requested, on the grounds that the applicant has provided sufficient evidence to convince the Sub-Committee that there are exceptional reasons to deviate from the current policy on the age limit of vehicles.
91/22	Application for the renewal of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Grant the applicant a further opportunity to attend and present his case.