

# SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

## Licensing Sub-Committee

### Meeting held 21 June 2022

**PRESENT:** Councillors David Barker (Chair), Roger Davison and George Lindars-Hammond

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

- 1.1 No apologies for absence were received. Councillor Abdul Khayum attended as a reserve Member, but was not required to 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 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 four cases relating to hackney carriage and private hire licensing.
- 4.2 The licence holder in Case No.97/22 attended the hearing and addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.3 The applicant in Case No.98/22 attended the hearing with a representative and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.
- 4.4 The licence holder in Case No.99/22 did not attend the hearing and the case was heard in his absence.
- 4.5 The applicant in Case No.100/22 did not attend the hearing.
- 4.6 **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>
97/22	Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Take no action.
98/22	Application for a new Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Refuse to grant the licence on the grounds that, in view of the convictions now reported, the Sub-Committee does not consider the applicant to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence.
99/22	Review of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Immediately revoke the licence under Section 61 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976, as amended by Section 52 of the Road Safety Act 2006, on the grounds that the Sub-Committee considers the licence holder to be an immediate and ongoing risk to the public.
100/22	Application to extend a Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Defer consideration of the case to allow the applicant a further opportunity to attend to present his case.