

**SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL**

**Licensing Sub-Committee**

**Meeting held 9 May 2019**

**PRESENT:** Councillors Josie Paszek (Chair), Jack Clarkson and Mick Rooney

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**1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

1.1 No apologies for absence were received. Councillor Vickie Priestley attended the meeting 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 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. 44/19 did not attend the hearing and, as no notification had been received by the Licensing Service, the case was considered in his absence.

4.3 The applicant in Case No. 45/19 attended the hearing with a representative and two other people speaking in favour of the application, and they all addressed the Sub-Committee.

4.4 The applicant in Case No. 46/19 attended the hearing with a representative, and they both addressed the Sub-Committee.

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

<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Licence Type</u>	<u>Decision</u>
44/19	Application for an extension of a Private Hire Vehicle	Refuse to extend the licence on the grounds that the applicant has not provided sufficient evidence to convince the Sub-Committee that

	Licence	there are exceptional reasons to deviate from the current policy on the age limit of vehicles.
45/19	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	Grant a licence for the term of one year, as requested, on the grounds that the Sub-Committee considers the applicant to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence.
46/19	Application for a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence	(a) Grant a licence for the term of one year, as requested, on the grounds that the Sub-Committee considers the applicant to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence and (b) the applicant be given a written warning as to his future conduct, to remain live for the term of the licence.