

PRIVATE HIRE AND HACKNEY CARRIAGE LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

FRIDAY, 19 JANUARY 2018

PRESENT:- Councillors Vera Tomlinson (Chair), Alan Bishop, Stephanie Exell, Caryl Sydney-Smith and Councillor Peter Watts

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Abdul Amin and Nick Martin.

1. Appointment of Chair for the Municipal Year 2017/18

Resolved – That Councillor Vera Tomlinson be Chair of this Sub-Committee for the Municipal Year, 2017/18.

(Councillor Tomlinson took the Chair.)

2. Appointment of Vice-Chair for the Municipal Year 2017/18

Resolved – That Councillor Peter Watts be Vice-Chair of this Sub-Committee for the Municipal Year, 2017/18.

3. Declarations of Interest

The Chair reminded Members of the need to declare any known interests in any matters to be considered at the meeting. No declarations were made.

4. Minutes

Resolved – That the minutes of the meeting held on 26th July 2016, be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

5. Exempt Items - Exclusion of Press and Public

Resolved - That, in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded during the discussion of the matters referred in Agenda Item 8 on the grounds that it would involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 12A to the Act, and that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information concerned (Minute 7 refers.)

6. Public Question Time

No public questions were received during the meeting.

7. Application for the Revocation of a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence

The Sub-Committee considered a report of the Council's Licensing Manager setting out a request to consider the revocation of a Hackney Carriage Drivers Licence pursuant to Section 61(2b) of the Local Government Act 1976.

Resolved – That no action be taken to revoke the Hackney Carriage Drivers Licence held by driver named in the report of the Council's Licensing Manager.