

GENERAL LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY, 30 APRIL 2024

Present:

Councillor Carol Lacey (Chair) (in the Chair)

Councillor Clive Fletcher

Councillor Martin E Thacker MBE JP

Also Present:

R Munir	Legal Services Manager
L Spinks	Senior Legal Officer
C Terry	Environmental Health Team Manager (Licensing)
L Delamore	Licensing & Enforcement Officer
S Crossland	Licensing Support Officer
T Scott	Governance and Scrutiny Officer

GLS/ Appointment of Chair for the Meeting

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3-24 RESOLVED – That Councillor Carol Lacey be elected Chair for this meeting of the General Licensing Sub-Committee.

GLS/ Declarations of Interest

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3-24 Members are requested to declare the existence and nature of any disclosable pecuniary interest and/or other interest, not already on their register of interests, in any item on the agenda and withdraw from the meeting at the appropriate time.

There were no declarations of interest.

The Legal Officers present confirmed that they did not believe Councillor Fletcher held a prejudicial interest in the case of the first applicant Mr R.

GLS/ Taxi Procedure for the Meeting

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3-24 Members confirmed receipt of the procedure to determine private hire vehicle matters.

GLS/ Matters of Urgency - Open Session

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3-24 There were no matters of urgency discussed at this meeting.

GLS/ Exclusion of Public

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3-24 RESOLVED – That the public be excluded from the meeting during the discussion of the following item(s) of business to avoid the disclosure to them of exempt

information as defined in Paragraph 1, Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006.

GLS/ **Report No: LTL/13/23-24 - Mr R - Sheffield**

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3-24

The applicant was present at the meeting and confirmed receipt of the report and procedure to be followed at the meeting.

The Sub-Committee considered the report of the Environmental Health Team Manager (Licensing). The purpose of the report was to consider if the applicant remains a 'Fit and Proper' person to hold a Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence with North East Derbyshire District Council.

RESOLVED – Refuse the application.

GLS/ **Report No: LTL/14/23-24 - Mr K R - Sheffield**

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3-24

The applicant was not present at the meeting. Licensing officers presented evidence of the applicant having to undertake air travel because of a personal emergency, which was why they were unable to attend.

The panel wished to give the applicant a further opportunity to attend for their case, and agreed to defer consideration of the application to the next General Licensing Sub Committee hearing.

RESOLVED – That the case of Mr K R be deferred to the next General Licensing Sub Committee hearing.

GLS/ **Report No: LTL/12/23-24 - Mr A - Sheffield**

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3-24

The applicant was present at the meeting and confirmed receipt of the report and procedure to be followed at the meeting.

The Sub-Committee considered the report of the Environmental Health Team Manager (Licensing). The purpose of the report was to consider if the applicant remains a 'Fit and Proper' person to hold a Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence with North East Derbyshire District Council.

RESOLVED – Grant the application.

GLS/ **Matters of Urgency - Closed Session**

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None.