#### NORTHAMPTON BOROUGH COUNCIL

# LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

Thursday, 6 April 2017

**COUNCILLORS PRESENT:** Councillors Sargeant, Beardsworth and Culbard

**OFFICERS:** Ian Ellis (Senior Licensing Enforcement Officer)

Eleanor Flannery (Licensing Enforcement Officer)
Jason Toyne (Licensing Enforcement Officer)

Mebs Kassam (Solicitor)

Ed Bostock (Democratic Services Officer)

## 1. WELCOMES

The Chair welcomed everyone to the Committee.

## 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were none.

## 3. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

The Chair moved that the Public and Press be excluded from the remainder of the meeting on the grounds that there was likely to be disclosure to them of such categories of exempt information as defined by Section 100(1) of the Local Government Act 1972 as listed against such items of business by reference to the appropriate paragraph of Schedule 12A to such Act.

The Motion was Carried.

## 4. NEW DRIVER APPLICATION

The Licensing Enforcement Officer outlined the circumstances as set out in the report.

The Committee heard the representations made and reached a decision with regards to any further action to be taken.

## **Decision:**

The Committee decided to refuse the application for a Private Hire Driver's licence as the individual was deemed on a balance of probability to not be a fit and proper person.

## 5. NEW DRIVER APPLICATION

The Licensing Enforcement Officer outlined the circumstances as set out in the report.

The Committee heard the representations made and reached a decision with regards to any further action to be taken.

#### Decision:

The Committee decided to refuse the application for a Private Hire Driver's licence as the individual was deemed on a balance of probability to not be a fit and proper person.

## 6. NEW DRIVER APPLICATION

This item was deferred to Licensing Sub-Committee on 19<sup>th</sup> April 2017.

## 7. NEW DRIVER APPLICATION

The Licensing Enforcement Officer outlined the circumstances as set out in the report.

The Committee heard the representations made and reached a decision with regards to any further action to be taken.

## **Decision:**

The Committee decided to grant the application for a Private Hire Driver's licence as the individual was deemed on a balance of probability to be a fit and proper person.

## 8. NEW DRIVER APPLICATION

The Licensing Enforcement Officer outlined the circumstances as set out in the report.

The Committee heard the representations made and reached a decision with regards to any further action to be taken.

## **Decision:**

The Committee decided to grant the application for a Private Hire Driver's licence as the individual was deemed on a balance of probability to be a fit and proper person.

#### 9. NEW DRIVER APPLICATION

The Licensing Enforcement Officer outlined the circumstances as set out in the report.

The Committee heard the representations made and reached a decision with regards to any further action to be taken.

## **Decision:**

The Committee decided to grant the application for a Private Hire Driver's licence as the individual was deemed on a balance of probability to be a fit and proper person.