

**NORTHAMPTON BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**Licensing Committee**

Your attendance is requested at a meeting to be held at The Jeffrey Room, St. Giles Square, Northampton, NN1 1DE. on Monday, 16 October 2017 at 6:00 pm.

**S Bovey**  
**Interim Chief Executive**

**AGENDA**

1. Apologies
2. Minutes
3. Deputations / Public Addresses
4. Declarations of Interest
5. Matters of Urgency which by reason of special circumstances the chair is of the opinion should be considered
6. Exclusion of Public and Press

The Chair to Move:

“that the public and press be excluded from the remainder of the meeting on the grounds that there is 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.”

**SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA**

Exempted Under Schedule, 12A of L.Govt Act 1972, Para No: -

7. Application for a Private Hire Driver's Licence (1)
8. Application for a Private Hire Driver's Licence (1)
9. Review of Combined Driver Licence (1)

**Public Participation**

Members of the public may address the Committee on any non-procedural matter listed on this agenda. Addresses shall not last longer than three minutes. Committee members may then ask questions of the speaker. No prior notice is required prior to the commencement of the meeting of a request to address the Committee.

## NORTHAMPTON BOROUGH COUNCIL

### LICENSING COMMITTEE

Tuesday, 12 September 2017

**PRESENT:** Councillor Flavell (Chair); Councillor Sargeant (Deputy Chair); Councillors Ansell, Culbard, Duffy and Beardsworth

**OFFICERS:** James Chadwick (Senior Litigation Solicitor), Louise Faulkner (Licensing Team Leader), Ian Ellis (Senior Licensing Enforcement Officer), Jason Toyne (Licensing Enforcement Officer), Ed Bostock (Democratic Services Officer)

#### 1. APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from Councillors T Eales, Haque and Walker.

#### 2. MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting held on 11<sup>th</sup> July 2017 were agreed and signed by the Chair.

#### 3. DEPUTATIONS / PUBLIC ADDRESSES

There were none.

#### 4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were none.

#### 5. MATTERS OF URGENCY WHICH BY REASON OF SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES THE CHAIR IS OF THE OPINION SHOULD BE CONSIDERED

There were none.

#### 6. 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.

#### 7. APPLICATION FOR A PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S LICENCE.

This item was deferred to a future Licensing Committee.

#### 10. APPLICATION FOR A PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S LICENCE.

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

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

#### RESOLVED:

The Committee decided that the applicant was, on a balance of probability, a fit and proper person to be licensed as a Private Hire driver for a period of 12 months.

**9. APPLICATION FOR A PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S LICENCE.**

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

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

**RESOLVED:**

That no action be taken.

At this juncture, Councillor Beardsworth left the meeting.

**11. APPLICATION FOR A PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S LICENCE.**

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

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

**RESOLVED:**

The Committee decided that the applicant was, on a balance of probability, a fit and proper person to be licensed as a Private Hire driver for a period of 12 months.

**8. APPLICATION FOR A PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S LICENCE.**

This item was deferred to a future Licensing Committee.

The meeting concluded at 8:04 pm

# Agenda Item 7

By virtue of paragraph(s) 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

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# Agenda Item 8

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