PUBLIC PROTECTION SUB-COMMITTEE

Wednesday, 15th April, 2020 Time of Commencement: 2.00 pm

Present:

Councillors: K. Robinson S. Sweeney J Williams

Officers: Nesta Barker Head of Environmental Health

Services

Daniel Dickinson Head of Legal & Governance

/Monitoring Officer

Anne-Marie Pollard Solicitor

Claire Ryles Technical Assistant

9. APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from the Deputy Mayor, Councillor J Cooper and Councillor J Walklate.

10. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no Declarations of Interest made.

11. DISCLOSURE OF EXEMPT INFORMATION

Resolved:- That the public be excluded from the meeting during

consideration of the following matter because it is likely that there will be disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 1,2 and 7 contained within Part 1 of Schedule 12A

of the Local Government Act, 1972

12. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT - 1976 - FH

The Sub Committee considered an application for a renewal of a Hackney Carriage Vehicle licence.

The question arose because it had come to the Council's attention during the application process that the applicant had 2 convictions from 2009 that fell within the Council's guidelines for relevance of convictions.

The applicant was a licensed driver and the application related to the vehicle only. The new Council policy meant that the proprietor of vehicles now had to satisfy the criteria and any decision against the Vehicle licence may mean the Driver's licence would require reconsideration.

After very careful consideration of information from the Council's Licensing Officers and representations from the applicant and his representative, the Sub Committee agreed as follows:

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Resolved: that the renewal application for a Hackney Carriage Vehicle licence be granted.

13. **URGENT BUSINESS**

Chair