

PUBLIC PROTECTION SUB-COMMITTEE

Wednesday, 10th August, 2022
Time of Commencement: 2.00 pm

Present: Councillor Andrew Parker (Chair)

Councillors: Hutchison Whieldon S White

Officers: Matthew Burton Licensing Administration Team
 Anne-Marie Pollard Manager
 Melanie Steadman Solicitor
 Licensing Officer

1. **APOLOGIES**

There were no apologies for absence.

2. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest.

3. **DISCLOSURE OF EXEMPT INFORMATION**

Resolved:- That the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following matters 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

4. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT - 1976 - APPLICANT 1**

The Sub Committee considered a new application for a Dual Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence.

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

Resolved: that the application for a Dual Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's licence be granted subject to successful completion of the Newcastle under Lyme Borough Council Taxi Knowledge Test.

5. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT - 1976 - APPLICANT 2**

The Sub-Committee considered a new application for a Dual Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's licence. The application was before the Sub-Committee as the application process had revealed a matter that fell outside the council's Licensing Policy.

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Resolved: that the application for a Dual Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's licence be granted subject to successful completion of the Newcastle under Lyme Borough Council Taxi Knowledge Test.

6. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT - 1976 - APPLICANT 3

The Sub-Committee considered a new application for a Dual Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence.

After careful consideration of information from the council's Licensing Officer and representations from the applicant and their representative, the Sub-Committee agreed as follows:

Resolved: that the application be deferred for further consideration at a future meeting.

(**Note:** Councillor S White left the meeting at this point and did not return).

7. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT - 1976 - APPLICANT 4

The Sub-Committee considered an application for a Dual Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's licence. The application was before the Sub-Committee as the application process had revealed matters that fell outside the council's Licensing Policy.

After careful consideration of information from the council's Licensing Officer and representations from the applicant, the Sub-Committee agreed as follows:

Resolved: that the application for a Dual Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's licence be granted subject to:

- (a) A final warning to the driver as to future conduct; and
- (b) Successful completion of the Newcastle under Lyme Borough Council Taxi Knowledge Test.

8. URGENT BUSINESS

There was no urgent business.

**Councillor Andrew Parker
Chair**

Meeting concluded at 5.35 pm