

LICENSING APPLICATIONS SUB-COMMITTEE 3 MINUTES - 9 FEBRUARY 2017

Present: Councillor Woodward (Chair);
Councillors D Edwards, Livingston and Skeats.

Apologies: Councillor Ennis and Vickers.

24. MINUTES

The Minutes of the meeting held on 30 November 2016 were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

25. EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

Resolved -

That, pursuant to Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended), members of the press and public be excluded during consideration of the following item of business as it was likely that there would be disclosures of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 1,2 and 3, specified in Part 1 of Schedule 12A (as amended) to that Act.

26. APPLICATIONS FOR THE GRANT OF PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENCE AND SCHOOL TRANSPORT DRIVER'S LICENCES AND AN APPEAL AGAINST THE ALLOCATION OF PENALTY POINTS TO A PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENCE

The Director of Environment and Neighbourhood Services submitted a report asking the Sub-Committee to consider one application for the grant of a school transport vehicle driver's licence, one application for the grant of three year private hire vehicle driver's licences, one application for the renewal of a three year private hire vehicle driver's licence and an appeal against the allocation of penalty points to a private hire vehicle driver's licence.

A summary of the circumstances of the cases was appended to the report.

The applicants, except MS, were present at the meeting and addressed the Sub-Committee. The applicant RK was represented by his solicitor, Mr Paul Cantrill, who also addressed the Sub-Committee.

Resolved -

- (1) That the application for the grant of a private hire vehicle driver's licence (school transport) be deferred;
- (2) That the application by RS for the grant of a three year private hire vehicle driver's licence be granted for 12 months subject to RS passing a follicle drugs test at his own expense, and the Head of Planning, Development and Regulatory Services be authorised to renew the licence for a further 24 months, subject to no breaches of licence conditions, offences being committed or complaints being received;

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- (3) That the application by RK for the renewal of a three year private hire vehicle driver's licence be granted for 6 months, and the Head of Planning, Development and Regulatory Services be authorised to renew the licence for a further 6 months, subject to no breaches of licence conditions, offences being committed or complaints being received and then for a further 24 months subject to no breaches of licence conditions, offences being committed or complaints being received.
- (4) That the appeal by AK against the allocation of six penalty points on his private hire vehicle driver's licence be dismissed.

(In accordance with Standing Order 38, Councillor D Edwards requested that her vote against the resolution (3) be recorded)

(Exempt information as defined in paragraph 1, 2, 3 and 5)

(The meeting started at 6.33pm and closed at 9.35pm)