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LICENSING PANEL

Friday, 20 December 2019

<u>Present:</u> Councillors A Hodson

D Mitchell L Rowlands

<u>Deputy</u> Councillor K Greaney (for P Stuart)

82 **APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR**

In the absence of the Chair it was –

Resolved – That Councillor Andrew Hodson be appointed Chair for this meeting.

83 MEMBERS' CODE OF CONDUCT - DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members of the Panel were asked to declare any disclosable pecuniary and nonpecuniary interests, in connection with any application on the agenda and state the nature of the interest.

No such declarations were made.

84 EXEMPT INFORMATION - EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

Resolved - That, under section 100 (A) (4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined by the relevant paragraphs of Part I of Schedule 12A (as amended) to that Act. The Public Interest test had been applied and favoured exclusion.

85 PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE (JPD)

The Corporate Director for Corporate Management reported upon an application received by Mr JPD for the grant of a Private Hire Driver Licence.

Mr JPD attended the meeting, made representations and answered questions in respect of his application.

Members considered the representations made by Mr JPD as well as other material information relevant to his application.

Members had regard to their Policy, and, after careful consideration of the representations made, exercised their right to consider each case on its own merits.

Resolved – That Mr JPD's application for the grant of a Private Hire Driver Licence be approved.

86 PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE (PSR)

The Corporate Director for Business Management reported upon an application received from Mr PSR for the grant of a Private Hire Driver Licence.

Mr PSR attended the meeting, made representations and answered questions in respect of his application.

Members gave due consideration to Mr PSR's representations and exercised their right to consider each case on its individual merits in light of the representations made.

Resolved – That Mr PSR's application for the grant of a Private Hire Driver Licence be refused.

87 PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE (JCD)

The Corporate Director for Business Management reported upon an application received from Mr JCD for the grant of a Private Hire Driver Licence.

Mr JCD attended the meeting, made representations and answered questions in respect of his application.

Members gave due consideration to Mr JCD's representations and exercised their right to consider each case on its individual merits in light of the representations made.

Resolved – That Mr JCD's application for a Private Hire Driver Licence be approved.