

WEST OXFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the
MISCELLANEOUS LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE
held in Committee Room Two, Council Offices, Woodgreen, Witney, Oxon
at 10.30am on 25 July 2017

PRESENT

Councillors: N A MacRae MBE (Chairman). S J Good (Vice-Chairman), M Brennan,
J C Cooper and E H James

17. MINUTES

RESOLVED: that the minutes of the meeting of the Sub-Committee held on 6 July 2017 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

18. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS

There were no apologies for absence or temporary appointments.

19. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest from Members or Officers relating to matters to be considered at the meeting.

20. PARTICIPATION OF THE PUBLIC

No submissions were received from the public in accordance with the Council's Rules of Procedure.

21. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

RESOLVED: That the Sub-Committee being of the opinion that it was likely, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted, that if members of the public were present during the following items of business there would be a disclosure to them of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)), the public be excluded from the meeting.

22. APPLICATION FOR A HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVER'S LICENCE

The Sub-Committee received and considered the report of the Group Manager of Environmental and Regulatory Services regarding an application for a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence.

The Licensing Officer introduced the report and provided Members with further information received from the Disclosure and Barring Service. The applicant confirmed that he had been made aware of this additional information which was accurate and referred to him.

The Council's Legal Advisor reminded Members that it was the role of the Sub-Committee to consider and determine whether, in view of the information contained within the report and that provided at the meeting, the licence holder was a fit and proper person to hold a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence.

The applicant was then interviewed by the Sub-Committee and put forward his case for the grant of a licence.

The Sub-Committee then withdrew to determine the application and following discussion it was:-

Having considered the report and the evidence given by the applicant the Sub-Committee:

RESOLVED: that a Hackney Carriage Drivers Licence be granted.

The public was then readmitted to the meeting and advised of the decision.

The meeting closed at 10:50am

CHAIRMAN