

Taxi Licensing Committee

Thursday 25 August 2016

PRESENT:

Councillor Foster, Vice Chair in the Chair.

Councillor Carson, Vice Chair.

Councillors Bowie, Mrs Foster (substitute for Councillor Kelly), Mavin and Rennie.

Apologies for absence: Councillors Kelly and Singh.

Also in attendance: Steve Forshaw (Senior Enforcement Officer), Ann Gillbanks (Senior Lawyer) and Lynn Young (Democratic Support Officer).

The meeting started at 10.00 am and finished at 12.20 pm.

Note: At a future meeting, the committee will consider the accuracy of these draft minutes, so they may be subject to change. Please check the minutes of that meeting to confirm whether these minutes have been amended.

37. **Appointment of Vice Chair**

The Committee agreed to appoint Councillor Carson as Vice Chair for this particular meeting.

38. **Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest made by Councillors in accordance with the code of conduct.

39. **Chair's Urgent Business**

There were no items of Chair's Urgent Business.

40. **Exempt information**

Agreed that under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, to exclude the press and public from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of Part I Schedule 12a of the Act, as amended by the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

41. **Review of a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence and Private Hire Driver's Licence - AD**

The Committee –

- (a) considered the report from the Director of Public Health;

- (b) heard from AD:
- (c) heard from AD's representative;
- (c) took the above report and all that was said into consideration.

The Committee agreed that having taken the above into account, to revoke AD's Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence and Private Hire Driver's Licence under section 19(1)(b) of the Plymouth City Council Act 1975 as he is no longer considered to be a fit and proper person.

(Please note: there is a confidential part to this minute)