

# Taxi Licensing Committee

Thursday 14 July 2016

## PRESENT:

Councillor Kelly, in the Chair.  
Councillor K Foster, Vice Chair.  
Councillors Bowie, Carson, Mavin, Rennie and Singh.

Also in attendance: Steve Forshaw (Senior Licensing Officer), Phillip Marsh (Enforcement Officer), Andrea Gilbert (Lawyer), Kristin Barnes (Democratic Support Officer).

The meeting started at 10.00 and finished at 11:30.

*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.*

## 18. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest from members in respect of items on this agenda.

## 19. **MINUTES**

Agreed the minutes of the meeting held on 16 June 2016.

## 20. **CHAIR'S URGENT BUSINESS**

There were no items of Chair's urgent business.

## 21. **APPEAL CASES**

There were no updates in respect of appeal cases since the last meeting.

## 22. **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.

## 23. **Confidential Minutes**

Agreed the confidential minutes of the meeting held on 16 June 2016.

24. **Application for the grant of a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence - MW**

The committee –

- (a) considered the report from the Director of Public Health;
- (b) heard from MW;
- (c) took the above report and all that was said into consideration.

The committee agreed to grant MW's application for a Hackney Carriage driver's licence subject to him passing the Driving Standards Test and the Topographical Knowledge of Plymouth Test.

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

25. **Review of a Private Hire Driver's Licence - AE**

The committee heard that AE was not in attendance and agreed that the matter would be adjourned until the next committee date.