

Licensing and Appeals Committee

Minutes of the meeting held on Monday, 9 September 2019

Present: Councillor Grimshaw – in the Chair

Councillors: Evans, Flanagan, Hassan, Hughes, Jeavons, T Judge, Lynch, Lyons, Reid and Stone

Apologies: Councillor Ludford, Andrews, McHale and Madeleine Monaghan

LAP/19/10. Minutes

Decision

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 15 July 2019.

LAP/19/11. Taxi and Private Hire Licensing Quarterly Compliance Report

The Committee considered a report providing details of the compliance work undertaken by the Licensing Unit for the reporting period - Quarter 4 18/19 (January – March 2019).

Decision

To note the report submitted.

LAP/19/12. Exclusion of the public

A recommendation was made that the public be excluded during consideration of the following item of business.

Decision

To exclude the public during consideration of the following item which involved consideration of exempt information relating to the financial or business affairs of particular persons, and public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information.

LAP/19/13. Application - Renewal of Hackney Carriage Vehicle Proprietor

The Committee considered an application for the renewal of hackney carriage vehicle proprietor licence HV1067. The proprietor of the licence had submitted the renewal application for the vehicle over 7 weeks after the vehicle licence expired.

The applicant attended the hearing with his represented and was supported by an interpreter and addressed the Committee and answered questions.

The Committee also heard the submission of the licensing officer.

Decision

To allow the renewal of the Hackney Carriage Vehicle Proprietors Licence HV1067.