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NOTICE OF MEETING - LICENSING APPLICATIONS SUB-COMMITTEE 3 - 25 SEPTEMBER 2018

A meeting of the Licensing Applications Sub-Committee 3 will be held on Tuesday, 25 September 2018 at 6.30 pm in the Council Chamber, Civic Offices, Bridge Street, Reading, RG1 2LU. The Agenda for the meeting is set out below.

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1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST		
Councillors to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests they may have in relation to the items for consideration.		
2. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING		3 - 4
To confirm the Minutes of the Licensing Applications Sub-Committee 3 meeting held on 1 August 2018.		
3. QUESTIONS		
Questions submitted pursuant to Standing Order 36 in relation to matters falling within the Committee's Powers & Duties which have been submitted in writing and received by the Head of Legal & Democratic Services no later than four clear working days before the meeting.		
4. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC		

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At this point, the following motion will be moved by the Chair:

“That, pursuant to Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) members of the press and public be excluded during consideration of the following items on the agenda, as it is likely that there would be disclosure of exempt information as defined in the relevant paragraphs of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of that Act”

5. **APPLICATIONS FOR THE GRANT, RENEWAL, SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE DRIVER LICENCES AND APPEALS AGAINST THE ALLOCATION OF PENALTY POINTS ON PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENCE**

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Present: Councillor Woodward (Chair);
Councillors D Edwards, Ennis, Maskell, and McDonald.

Apologies: Councillor Skeats.

8. MINUTES

The Minutes of the meeting held on 5 July 2018 were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

9. EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

Resolved -

That, pursuant to Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended), members of the press and public be excluded during consideration of the following item of business as it was likely that there would be disclosures of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 1, 2 and 3, specified in Part 1 of Schedule 12A (as amended) to that Act.

10. APPLICATION FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF THE SUSPENSION/REVOCAION OF A HACKNEY CARRIAGE VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENCE

The Director of Environment and Neighbourhood Services submitted a report asking the Sub-Committee to consider the application for the consideration of the suspension or revocation of a hackney carriage vehicle driver's licence.

A summary of the circumstances of the case was appended to the report.

MH was present at the meeting and was accompanied by Mr Feroz Khan, who addressed the Sub-Committee on his behalf, and Mr Zaheer Kayani.

Resolved -

That the hackney carriage vehicle driver's licence in respect of MH be revoked with effect from the end of 21 days' notice of the decision being give due to the Sub-Committee not considering him to be a fit and proper person to hold such a licence and due to the following reasonable causes pursuant to section 61 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976:

- (a) the nature of the offences, as detailed in the report;
- (b) insufficient time having elapsed since the offences were committed, as detailed in the report;
- (c) the breaches of licence conditions, traffic regulations and legislation, as detailed in the report;
- (d) concern over the safety of the public given the circumstances of the incidents;

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- (e) that two similar incidents had occurred in short period of time, as detailed in the report.

(Exempt information as defined in paragraph 1, 2, 3 and 5)

(The meeting started at 6.27pm and closed at 7.10pm)

Agenda Item 5

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