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NOTICE OF MEETING - LICENSING APPLICATIONS SUB-COMMITTEE 16 DECEMBER 2025

A meeting of the Licensing Applications Sub-Committee will be held on Tuesday, 16 December 2025 at 5.00 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

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To confirm the Minutes of the Licensing Applications Sub-Committee meetings held on 28 October 2025 and 27 November 2025.

3. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

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.”

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4. APPLICATIONS FOR THE GRANT AND RENEWAL OF BOROUGH 15 - 210
HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE WIDE
DRIVER'S LICENCES AND REPORTS TO CONSIDER THE
SUSPENSION/REVOCATION OF HACKNEY CARRIAGE
AND PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENCES

To determine applications for the grant and renewal of Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licences and to consider reports for the suspension/revocation of Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licences.

***** Access to Civic Offices** - Please note that, from 13 January 2025, the Customer Main Entrance to the Civic Offices is moving from the front of the building to the back, because of construction work for the new Central Library. If you are attending the meeting in person, please enter via the new Customer Main Entrance in Simmonds Street. (The Council is asking customers not to come down Fobney Street to access the new Customer Entrance, due to heavy construction traffic in this area, and instead to walk via the pedestrian alleyway off Bridge Street next to the "Greek Van"). See map below:

