



TAXI LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE (1)

BURNLEY TOWN HALL

06/10/2016

PRESENT

MEMBERS

Councillors Howard Baker, Ida Carmichael, Gary Frayling, Anne Kelly, Elizabeth Monk, and Christine White

OFFICERS

Peter Henderson	-	Licensing Manager
James Astin	-	Workplace Compliance Officer
David Talbot	-	Principal Legal Officer
Imelda Grady	-	Democracy Officer
Alison McEwan	-	Democracy Officer

1. Appointment of Chair

RESOLVED That Councillor Anne Kelly be appointed Chair of the meeting.

Councillor Anne Kelly in the Chair

2. Apologies

Apologies were received from Councillor Ann Royle

3. Minutes of the last meetings

The Minutes of the last meetings held on 21st September 2016 were confirmed as a true record.

4. Exclusion of the Public

That the Public be excluded from the meeting before discussion takes place on the following items of business on the grounds that, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted, if the public were present there would be a disclosure to them of exempt information within the meaning of Part VA of the Local Government Act 1972.

Minute No Information likely to reveal the identity of
5 , 6 and 7 an individual.

5. Private Hire Driver's Conduct

The Licensing Officer reported on the conduct of the holder of a Private Hire Driver's Licence.

MAC was present at the meeting and was represented by CO.

RESOLVED That having regard to the conduct recorded against MAC the holder of a current private hire driver's licence, no further action be taken but that he be issued with a warning that the Committee would not be lenient if such matters were to come before them in the future.

6. Private Hire Driver's Conduct and Convictions

The Licensing Officer reported on the conduct and conviction recorded against IA the holder of a Private Hire Driver's Licence.

IA was present at the meeting and was represented by CO.

CO requested that this matter be stood down until such time as the appeal to the High Court was decided. The Committee refused the request.

RESOLVED That having regard to the conduct recorded against IA the current holder of a private hire driver's licence, the licence be revoked on the grounds set out in Section 61 (1)(a)(ii) of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976.

7. Application for a Private Hire Driver's Licence

The Licensing Officer report on an application by MA for a private hire driver's licence.

MA was present at the meeting and was represented by CO.

RESOLVED That the application for a private hire driver's licence be refused under Section 51(1) (a) of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 on the grounds that MA is not a fit and proper person to hold a private hire driver's licence.