



TAXI LICENSING

SUB COMMITTEE (1) at 1 pm

BURNLEY TOWN HALL

04/11/2016

PRESENT

MEMBERS

Councillors Howard Baker, Anne Kelly, Elizabeth Monk, Ann Royle and Christine White

OFFICERS

Peter Henderson	-	Licensing Manager
David Talbot	-	Principal Legal Officer
Imelda Grady	-	Democracy Officer

1. **Appointment of Chair**

RESOLVED That Councillor Ann Royle be appointed Chair of the meeting.

Councillor Ann Royle in the Chair

2. **Apologies**

Apologies were received from Councillors Ida Carmichael and Gary Frayling.

3. **Additional item of business**

In accordance with the provisions in Section 100(B) (4)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972 the Chair agreed that the following item should be considered as item 9 on the agenda so that the application for a private hire operator's licence be heard in a timely manner.

Item: Application for the grant of a private hire operator's licence.

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.

<u>Minute No</u> 5,6 and 7	<u>Information likely to reveal the identity of</u> <u>an individual.</u>
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5. Private Hire Driver's Conduct and Conviction

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

MI was present at the meeting and was represented by MA

RESOLVED That having regard to the conduct recorded against MI the holder of a current private hire driver's licence no further action be taken but that he be issued with a warning.

6. Application for the Grant of a Private Hire Driver's Licence

The Licensing Officer reported on an application for a private hire drivers' licence.

RMR was present at the meeting.

RESOLVED That the application for a private hire driver's licence be granted.

7. Application for the Grant of Private Hire Operator's Licence

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

AG was present at the meeting, he was accompanied by SM and was represented by GB.

RESOLVED That authority be delegated to the Head of Governance, Property, Law and Regulation to either

- (i) approve the application for a private hire operator's licence, subject to the appeal to the Crown Court by SM being withdrawn.
- or
- (ii) refuse the application for a private hire operator's licence if the appeal to the Crown Court by SM is not withdrawn within 14 days.