11 OCTOBER 2013

NEW FOREST DISTRICT COUNCIL

LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

Minutes of a meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee held at Appletree Court, Lyndhurst on Friday, 11 October 2013.

Councillors:

W H Dow S Clarke Mrs M McLean

Officers Attending

Ms M Stephens, P Weston and Mrs A Wilson

Also Attending:

Applicant (Report B).
Applicant's Supporter (Report B).

1. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN.

RESOLVED:

That Cllr Dow be elected Chairman of the Sub-Committee for this meeting.

(Cllr Dow in the Chair).

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were made by members in connection with any agenda items.

3. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

No members of the public addressed the Sub-Committee during the public participation period.

4. MINUTES (REPORT A).

RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee held on 22 January 2013 be signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

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5. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND THE PRESS.

RESOLVED:

That, under Section 100 (A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public and the Press be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 12 of Parts 1 & 2 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

6. APPLICATION FOR A COMBINED HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENCE (REPORT B).

The Sub-Committee considered an application for a combined Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence.

The Licensing Officer presented his report, and the Applicant & the Applicant's supporter presented their case. All responded to Members' questions.

The Licensing Officer, the Applicant and the Applicant's supporter then withdrew while the Sub-Committee deliberated the matter.

In coming to their decision, the Sub-Committee were of the view that the Applicant was a fit and proper person to hold a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence.

As such it was;

RESOLVED:

That a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence be granted to the Applicant.

Action: Paul Weston

CHAIRMAN