

18 SEPTEMBER 2017

NEW FOREST DISTRICT COUNCIL

LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

Minutes of a meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee held in the Council Chamber, Appletree Court, Lyndhurst on Monday, 18 September 2017

Present:

Cllr Goff Beck
Cllr Ms Christine Ford

Cllr Richard Frampton

Officers:

Mrs C Ferguson, Mrs K Green and Ms M Stephens

Also attending:

Applicant (Item 7)

3 ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

RESOLVED:

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

(Cllr Beck in the Chair).

4 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

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

5 MINUTES

RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the meetings of the Licensing Sub-Committee held on 11 October 2013 and 23 February 2015 be signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

6 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 7 of Parts 1 & 2 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

7 APPLICATION FOR A COMBINED HACKNEY AND PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENCE

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

The Licensing Officer presented her report, and the Applicant presented his case. Both responded to Members' questions.

The Licensing Officer and the Applicant then withdrew while the Sub-Committee deliberated the matter.

In coming to their decision, the Sub-Committee took into consideration the representations made by the Applicant, and were of the view that the Applicant had demonstrated that he was a 'fit and proper' person to hold a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence. As such it was:

RESOLVED:

That the application for a combined Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence be granted.

CHAIRMAN