MINUTES ENVIRONMENT AND LICENSING COMMITTEE

Tuesday 6 December 2016

Councillor Marje Paling (Chair)

Present: Councillor Nicki Brooks Councillor Barbara Miller

Councillor Sandra Barnes
Councillor Carol Pepper
Councillor Bob Collis
Councillor Gary Gregory
Councillor Jane Walker

Councillor Stephen Poole

Absent: Councillor Bruce Andrews and Councillor John Parr

Officers in Attendance: H Cash, L Mellors and S Steventon

42 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND SUBSTITUTIONS.

Councillor Poole attended the meeting as a substitute for Councillor Andrews, who had given his apologies.

TO APPROVE, AS A CORRECT RECORD, THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 11 OCTOBER 2016.

RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the above meeting, having been circulated, be approved as a correct record.

44 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS.

None.

45 REQUEST FOR LIVERY DESIGN CHANGE

Consideration was given to a request from Arrow Specialised Transport Ltd. to allow a change of livery design.

RESOLVED:

To approve the change.

46 ANY OTHER ITEM WHICH THE CHAIR CONSIDERS URGENT.

None.

47 EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC.

RESOLVED:

That, the Members being satisfied that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information that under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public and press be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the ensuing reports on the grounds that the report involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 7 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

48 APPLICATION FOR JOINT HACKNEY CARRIAGE/ PRIVATE HIRE DRIVERS LICENCE - SA

Consideration was given to a report by Corporate Director, David Wakelin, regarding an application for a Joint Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver's Licence from SA.

SA attended the meeting and addressed the Committee.

In making the decision, the Committee applied the Council's approved Policy and Guidelines. On the basis of what it heard, the Committee was satisfied on balance that exceptional circumstances existed that warranted departure from this policy.

RESOLVED:

To approve SA's application for a Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver's Licence for a period of 1 year with a warning that he must take note of the renewal notice, and should he receive any more points on his licence he must inform the Council immediately and will be bought back before the Committee.

The meeting finished at 4.45 pm

Signed by Chair: Date: