

DURHAM COUNTY COUNCIL

**AREA GENERAL LICENSING AND REGISTRATION SUB COMMITTEE
(CENTRAL AND EAST DURHAM)**

AT A MEETING of the **AREA GENERAL LICENSING AND REGISTRATION SUB COMMITTEE (CENTRAL AND EAST DURHAM)** held at the **COUNCIL CHAMBER, SEASIDE LANE, EASINGTON** on **WEDNESDAY 6 MAY 2009** at **10:00am**.

PRESENT

COUNCILLOR C CARR in the Chair

Members of the Committee

Councillors D Boyes, R Liddle, R Todd, J Wilkinson and M Williams

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors P Gittins and D Stoker

Officers

C Greenlay (Council's Solicitor); C Ridley (Licensing Officer, Easington Office); J Collins (Democratic Services Officer)

A1 Declarations of interest

There were no declarations of interest.

A2 Items of business for open session

There were no additional items of business to be held in the open part of the meeting.

A3 Exclusion of the Public

RESOLVED:

That under Section 100 A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Schedule 12 A to the said Act.

**B4 Application for the Grant of a Hackney Carriage Drivers Licence –
Report of the Director of Neighbourhood Services**

The Chair welcomed the applicant to the meeting and introductions took place.

Consideration was given to the report of the Director of Neighbourhood Services for an application for the grant of a Hackney Carriage Licence, a copy of which has been circulated.

C Ridley, Licensing Officer circulated a copy of the CRB check, advised on information received from the Council's Safeguarding Officer and gave Members details of the application.

The applicant presented his case and responded to questions from Members of the Committee and the Legal Officer.

The Committee then retired to deliberate in private at 10.30am.

After reconvening at 11.15am, the Chair delivered the Committees decision.

RESOLVED:

That the application for a Hackney Carriage Drivers Licence be granted for a period of 6 months.

CHAIR

DATE