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 CIVIC CENTRE, CHESTER-LE-STREET on WEDNESDAY 10 FEBRUARY 2010 at 10.00 am.

PRESENT

COUNCILLOR C Carr in the Chair

Members of the Committee:

Councillors D Boyes, R Liddle, D Stoker, R Todd and M Williams

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor P Gittins

Officers

C Greenlay (Principal Litigation Solicitor); K Monaghan (Licensing Officer); P Nicholson (Committee Services Officer)

A1 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

A2 Minutes of the Meeting held on 20 January 2010

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 20 January 2010 were confirmed by the Sub-Committee as a correct record and were signed by the Chairman.

A3 Such Other Business

The Chair asked whether there was any other business to be considered during the public part of the meeting. No additional items or matters were raised.

A4 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 Paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 5 of Schedule 12A to the said Act.

B5 Application for the Continuation of a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence – Report of the Director of Neighbourhood Services

The Chair welcomed the Licence Holder and her Representative to the meeting and introductions were made.

Consideration was given to the Report of the Director of Neighbourhood Services in respect of an Application for the Continuation of a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence.

The Licensing Officer presented the Report. A copy of a letter from the Licence Holder together with a copy of her DVLA Driving Licence had been circulated with the report.

The Licence Holder and her Representative presented her case and responded to questions from Members of the Sub-Committee.

Members of the Sub-Committee left to deliberate in private at 10.25 am.

After reconvening at 10.45 am, the Chair delivered the Sub-Committee's decision.

Resolved:

That the Licence Holder is currently considered to be a fit and proper person to hold a licence, but that a final warning be issued as to her future conduct.