Item 90

Time: 2.00 p.m.

## SEDGEFIELD BOROUGH COUNCIL

## **LICENSING COMMITTEE 1**

Council Chamber,

Council Offices, Wednesday, Spennymoor 25 March 2009

Present: Councillor C. Nelson (Chairman) and

Councillors W.M. Blenkinsopp, Mrs. P. Crathorne,

Mrs. L. M.G. Cuthbertson, Mrs. B. Graham, A. Gray, Mrs. L. Hovvels,

J.G. Huntington and J.M. Khan

Apologies: Councillors D.M. Hancock, Mrs. I. Hewitson, J.E. Higgin, A. Hodgson,

T. Hogan, Mrs. S. J. Iveson, B. Lamb, Mrs. E.M. Paylor, K. Thompson and

T. Ward

LC1.16/08 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were received.

LC1.17/08 MINUTES

The Minutes of the meeting held on 4th February 2009 were confirmed as a

correct record and signed by the Chairman.

**EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC** 

RESOLVED: That in accordance with Section 100(a)(4) of the

Local Government Act 1972 the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they may involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 1,7 and 9 of Schedule 12a of the Act.

LC1.18/08 APPLICATIONS FOR GRANT OF HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVERS LICENCES

The Committee considered reports of the Director of Neighbourhood Services regarding applications for Hackney Carriage Drivers Licences. (For copies see file of Minutes)

Applicants were interviewed on an individual basis and given the opportunity to outline their case for being granted a licence.

Members of the Committee were given the opportunity to question each of the applicants.

RESOLVED: 1. That applicant 4a be granted a Hackney

Carriage Drivers Licence.

- 2. That applicant 4b be refused a Hackney Carriage Drivers Licence on the basis that the Committee considered that the applicant was not a fit and proper person to hold such a licence and was advised of his right to appeal.
- 3. That applicant 4c be refused a Hackney Carriage Drivers Licence on the basis that the Committee considered that the applicant was not a fit and proper person to hold such a licence and was advised of his right to appeal.

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