HUNTINGDONSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of the meeting of the LICENSING AND PROTECTION SUB-COMMITTEE held in MR0.1B, Ground Floor, Pathfinder House, Huntingdon PE29 3TN on Wednesday, 19 December 2018.

PRESENT: Councillor S J Criswell – Chairman.

Councillors J R Clarke, S J Corney and

Mrs P A Jordan.

51. MINUTES

The Minutes of the meeting held on 9th November 2018 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

52. MEMBERS INTERESTS

No declarations were received.

53. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

RESOLVED

that the press and public be excluded from the meeting because the business to be transacted contains exempt information relating to individuals and is subject to an obligation of confidentiality.

54. LICENSING AND PROTECTION SUB-COMMITTEE PROCEDURE

The Licensing and Protection Sub-Committee's Procedure was received and noted.

55. CONVICTIONS GUIDANCE

The Council's Guidelines relating to the relevance and treatment of convictions was received and noted.

56. NEW APPLICATION FOR A HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENCE

With the assistance of a report by the Head of Community (a copy of which is appended in the Annex to the Minute Book) the Sub-Committee considered an application from Mr MI whose application had been referred for the Licensing and Protection Sub-Committee for consideration.

Having noted that the applicant had contacted the Licensing Team to indicate that he wished to withdraw his application and submit a fresh application in the New Year, the Sub-Committee were mindful that there had been no written confirmation of the applicant's intent. Subject to the application not being withdrawn in the intervening period, it was

RESOLVED

that consideration of this matter be deferred to the Sub-Committee's next meeting on 23rd January 2018.

57. RENEWAL APPLICATION FOR A HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENCE

With the assistance of a report by the Head of Community (a copy of which is appended in the Annex to the Minute Book) the Sub-Committee considered a renewal application from Mr GK who had declared a motoring conviction on his application for renewal of his Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licence.

As the applicant was not in attendance and having noted the reasons for his failure to do so, it was

RESOLVED

that consideration of this matter be deferred to the Sub-Committee's next meeting on 23rd January 2018.

Chairman