

HUNTINGDONSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

Title: Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licences – Decisions under Delegated Authority.

Meeting/Date: Licensing and Protection Committee – 22 September 2021

Executive Portfolio: Executive Councillor for Leisure and Regulatory Services – Cllr Mr K Prentice

Report by: Licensing Team.

Ward(s) affected: All.

1. INTRODUCTION

The Acting Operational Manager (Business) has delegated authority to refuse, suspend or revoke private hire and hackney carriage driver and vehicle licences under the powers delegated by or on the recommendation of the Licensing and Protection Committee.

Below is a summary of the actions that have taken place since the last meeting of the Committee.

2. REPORT

2.1

Date	Licence type	Decision	Reason	Outcome
12.04.2021	Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Suspended S68	Unfit following collision	Licence deemed revoked
12.04.2021	Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver Licence	Suspended S61 (1)	Unfit on medical grounds following collision	Suspension removed on 26.04.2021
12.04.2021	Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Suspended S68	Unfit following collision	Suspension removed 26.04.2021
23.04.2021	Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Suspended S68	Unfit following collision	Licence deemed revoked
30.04.2021	Hackney Carriage/Private	Revoked S61 (1) (a) (ii) & (b)	Unfit – DVLA Driving Licence revoked	

	Hire Driver Licence			
04.06.2021	Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Suspended 68	Unfit following collision	Licence deemed revoked
04.06.2021	Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence	Suspended 68	Unfit following collision	Suspension Removed 11.06.2021
01.06.2021	Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Suspended 68	Unfit following collision	Suspension Removed 15.06.2021
03.06.2021	Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver Licence	Suspended 61	Unfit following collision	Suspension Removed as Fitness for Work received – 18.06.2021
09.06.2021	Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver Licence	Revocation S51 & 59 S61 (1) (b) & (c)	Disqualified from driving by Magistrates	No appeal made
10.06.2021	Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver Licence	Refused S51 & 59 S73 (1) (c)	Undeclared driving convictions	Appealed Decision

3. MATTERS TO BE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT

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Date of original HDC decision	Licence type	Result
24.03.2020	Refusal of a Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver Licence [Renewal applicant]	Appeal dismissed by Magistrates on 03.06.2021
02.11.2020	Refusal of an application to transfer a Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Appeal dismissed by Magistrates on 03.06.2021
02.02.2021	Refusal of Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver Licence [New applicant]	Appeal withdrawn by appellant
10.12.2020	Revocation of a Private Hire Operator	Appeal upheld by Magistrates on 17.05.2021

5. RECOMMENDATION

5.1 Members are requested to note and consider the above information

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