# **CHESHIRE EAST COUNCIL**

Minutes of a meeting of the **General Licensing Sub-Committee** held on Thursday, 16th November, 2017 at Committee Suite 2/3 - Westfields, Middlewich Road, Sandbach, CW11 1HZ

## PRESENT

Councillor W S Davies (Chairman)

Councillors Rhoda Bailey and B Dooley

### **OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE**

Martin Kilduff, Licensing Officer Aoife Ryan, Lawyer Julie Zientek, Democratic Services Officer

#### 38 APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN

RESOLVED – That Councillor S Davies be appointed Chairman.

#### **39 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies were received from Councillors D Bebbington and O Hunter.

## 40 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

## 41 EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

RESOLVED - That the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items pursuant to Section 100(A) 4 of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that they involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 1 and 2 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 and public interest would not be served in publishing the information.

## 42 17-18/18 APPLICATION FOR THE RENEWAL OF A JOINT HACKNEY CARRIAGE/PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE

Note: Councillor Rhoda Bailey and Aoife Ryan declared that they knew the applicant's representative.

The Sub-Committee considered a report regarding an application for the renewal of a Joint Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver's Licence.

The Sub-Committee was informed that the application fell within the Council's policy for determination by the Sub-Committee. Accordingly the

hearing had been convened to enable the Sub-Committee to determine whether the application for the renewal of a Joint Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver's Licence should be granted.

The applicant and a representative of the applicant attended the hearing and made representations in respect of the case.

After a full hearing, and in accordance with the rules of procedure, the Chairman of the Sub-Committee reported that, after taking account of all the evidence, the following course of action had been agreed.

RESOLVED - That the applicant is at this time a fit and proper person to hold a Joint Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver Licence, and that the application for the renewal of a licence be granted.

The meeting commenced at 2.00 pm and concluded at 2.50 pm

Councillor W S Davies (Chairman)