



Licensing and Regulatory Committee

Time and Date

9.30 am on Tuesday, 28th March, 2023

Place

Diamond Rooms 1 and 2 - Council House

Public Business**1. Apologies****2. Declarations of Interest****3. Minutes** (Pages 1 - 2)

To agree the minutes of the Committee meeting held on 24 January 2023.

4. Exclusion of Press and Public

To consider whether to exclude the press and public for the items of private business for the reasons shown in the reports.

5. Outstanding Issues Report

There are no outstanding issues to report.

6. Any other items of public business which the Chair decides to take as matters of urgency because of the special circumstances involved**Private Business****7. Applications for the Grant/Suitability to hold Hackney Carriage & Private Hire Drivers' Licences**

Reports of the Director of Street Scene & Regulatory Service on the following:

(Listing Officer: Mick Coggins, Email: mick.coggins@coventry.gov.uk)

7.1 Application for a Grant of a Private Hire Driver's Licence (Pages 3 - 10)

7.2 Review of a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence (Pages 11 - 54)

8. Any other items of private business which the Chair decides to take as matters of urgency because of the special circumstances involved

Julie Newman, Chief Legal Officer, Council House, Coventry

Monday, 20 March 2023

Note: The person to contact about the agenda and documents for this meeting is
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Membership: Councillors F Abbott, L Bigham (Deputy Chair), J Birdi, J Clifford (Chair),
B Gittins, G Hayre, A Hopkins, J Innes, T Jandu, S Keough, R Lakha, A Masih,
R Thay and CE Thomas

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Coventry City Council
Minutes of the Meeting of Licensing and Regulatory Committee held at 9.30 am
on Tuesday, 24 January 2023

Present:

Members: Councillor J Clifford (Chair)
Councillor F Abbott
Councillor L Bigham
Councillor J Birdi
Councillor B Gittins
Councillor T Jandu
Councillor S Keough
Councillor R Lakha
Councillor A Masih
Councillor R Thay
Councillor CE Thomas

Other Members: Councillor A Hopkins (Observer)

Employees Present:

Law and Governance: S Ahmed, U Patel

Regulatory Services: M Coggins

Apologies: Councillor G Hayre and J Innes

Public Business

49. **Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest.

50. **Minutes**

The minutes of the Committee meeting held on 20 December 2022 and the Sub-Committee (Hearing) held on 3 January 2023 were agreed and signed as a true record.

51. **Exclusion of Press and Public**

RESOLVED that, under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the items of business indicated below on the grounds that those items involve the likely disclosure of exempt information, as defined in Schedule 12A of that Act, in particular those paragraphs of Part 1 of the Schedule as indicated:

Minute No.	Subject	Relevant paragraphs of Part 1 of Schedule
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		12A
54	Application for Grant of a Private Hire Driver's Licence	1 & 3

52. **Outstanding Issues Report**

There were no outstanding issues to report.

53. **Any other items of public business which the Chair decides to take as matters of urgency because of the special circumstances involved**

There were no other items of public business.

54. **Application for Grant of a Private Hire Driver's Licence**

RESOLVED that, having considered the circumstances set out in the report of the Director of Street Scene and Regulatory Services now submitted, the application for the grant of a Private Hire Driver's Licence be refused.

Note: The applicant attended the meeting in support of the application.

55. **Any other items of private business which the Chair decides to take as matters of urgency because of the special circumstances involved**

There were no other items of private business.

(Meeting closed at 10.00 am)

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of the Local Government Act 1972.

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