Coventry City Council
Minutes of the Meeting of Licensing and Regulatory Committee held at 9.30 am on Tuesday, 1 September 2020

Present:

Members: Councillor B Kaur (Deputy Chair)

Councillor L Bigham
Councillor J Birdi
Councillor J Clifford
Councillor J Innes
Councillor R Lakha
Councillor G Lloyd
Councillor T Mayer

Employees Present:

S Beechey, Street Scene and Regulatory Service
S Bennett, Law and Governance
M Coggins, Street Scene and Regulatory Services
U Patel, Law and Governance
A Wright, Law and Governance

Apologies: Councillor F Abbott, B Gittins, G Ridley, R Thay, C Thomas and S Walsh

Public Business

34. **Chair**

In the absence of the Chair, Councillor C Thomas, the Deputy Chair, Councillor B Kaur chaired the meeting.

35. **Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest.

36. **Minutes**

The minutes of the Committee meeting held on 4 August 2020 and the Sub-Committee (Hearing) held on 15 July 2020 were agreed as true records.

37. **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 item of business indicated below on the grounds that the item involves 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	Subject	Relevant paragraphs

No.		of Part 1of Schedule 12A
39	Application for Grant of a Hackney Carriage Drivers' Licence	1 & 3

38. **Outstanding Issues Report**

There were no outstanding issues.

39. **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.

40. **Application for Grant of a Hackney Carriage Drivers' 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 to hold a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence be refused.

(Notes: 1. The applicant and his solicitor were present at the meeting.
2. Councillor J Birdi was unable to vote on the application due to technical difficulties.)

41. **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 10.20 am)