

**Coventry City Council**  
**Minutes of the Meeting of Licensing and Regulatory Sub Committee (1) (Hackney Carriage & Private Hire Taxi Licensing) held at 9.30 am on Tuesday, 10 June 2025**

Present:

Members: Councillor F Abbott (Chair)  
Councillor J Birdi  
Councillor B Christopher  
Councillor A Hopkins  
Councillor CE Thomas (Deputy Chair)

Other Members: Councillor C Miks

Employees:

Law and Governance S Ahmed, M Coggins, C Sinclair, A Veness

Apologies: Councillors J Lepoidevin and M Mutton

## **Public Business**

### **1. Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest.

### **2. Minutes**

The minutes of the meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> April 2025 were agreed and signed as a true record.

There were no matters arising.

### **3. 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:

<b>Minute No.</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Relevant paragraphs of Part 1 of Schedule 12A</b>
6	Applications for Grant/Suitability to hold Hackney Carriage & Private Hire Drivers' Licence	1 & 3

### **4. Outstanding Issues Report**

There were no outstanding issues.

**5. 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.

**6. Applications for the Grant/Suitability to hold Hackney Carriage & Private Hire Drivers' Licences**

**RESOLVED** that, having considered the circumstances set out in the report of the Director of Law and Governance now submitted,

**(a) The Renewal of a Private Hire Driver's Licence be granted.**

(Notes: i) Councillor C Miks did not speak or vote on this application as she had not yet completed the relevant training. ii) The Applicant attended the meeting in support of his case).

**(b) The Application for the Grant of a Private Hire Driver's Licence be refused.**

(Notes: i) Councillor C Miks did not speak or vote on this application as she had not yet completed the relevant training. ii) The Applicant and his Solicitor attended the meeting in support of his case).

**7. 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 10.25am)