# A MEETING OF THE LICENSING BOARD

# **WAS HELD ON 6 SEPTEMBER 2011**

The Mayor (Councillor Carter CR) (ex-officio), Chairman of the Policy and Organisation Board (Councillor Hook) (P), Councillors Allen, Ms Ballard (P), Beavis (P), Bradley (P), Carter CK, Mrs Cully, Edwards (P), Foster-Reed (P), Jacobs (P), Murphy, Scard (P) and Miss West (P).

It was reported that in accordance with Standing Orders, Councillors Hook, Kimber and Mrs Searle had been nominated to replace Councillor Allen, Murphy and Mrs Cully respectively, for this meeting.

#### 16. APOLOGIES

Apologies for inability to attend the meeting were submitted on behalf of the Mayor and Councillors Allen, Carter CK, Mrs Cully and Murphy.

# 17. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were none.

#### 18. MINUTES

It was requested that the Minutes of the meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> June 2011 be amended to acknowledge the attendance at the meeting of Councillor Ms Ballard.

RESOLVED: That subject to the amendment identified above, the Minutes of the meeting of the Licensing Board held on 7 June 2011 be approved and signed by the Chairman as a true and correct record.

# 19. DEPUTATIONS

There were none.

#### 20. PUBLIC QUESTIONS

There were none.

#### **PART II**

# 21. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

RESOLVED: That in relation to the following items the public be excluded from the meeting, as it is likely, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, that if members of the public were present during these items there would be disclosure to them of exempt

information within Paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, and further that in all circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information, for the reasons set out in the reports.

# 22. APPLICATION FOR THE GRANT OF A PRIVATE HIRE DRIVERS LICENCE

Consideration was given to an exempt report of the Housing Services Manager which advised the Board of an application for the issue of a Private Hire Driver's Licence.

The report was exempt from publication as the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information by reason that it contained personal information that was not considered appropriate to be released to the public.

RESOLVED: That the application for the issue of a Private Hire Driver's Licence be approved.

# 23. RENEWAL OF A HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVERS LICENCE

Consideration was given to an exempt report of the Housing Services Manager which advised the Board of an application for the renewal of a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence.

The report was exempt from publication as the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information by reason that it contained personal information that was not considered appropriate to be released to the public.

RESOLVED: That the application for the renewal of a Hackney Carriage Driver's Licence be refused.

The meeting ended at 6.50 p.m.

**CHAIRMAN**