

LICENSING ENFORCEMENT SUB-COMMITTEE

DATE: TUESDAY, 4 MAY 2021

TIME: 10:00 am

PLACE: Meeting held virtually using Zoom

Members of the Sub-Committee

Councillors Cank, Pickering, Thomas, and Westley

Members of the Sub-Committee are summoned to attend the above meeting to consider the items of business listed overleaf.

for Monitoring Officer

Information for members of the public

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Further information

If you have any queries about any of the above or the business to be discussed, please contact Angie Smith, Democratic Support on **(0116) 454 6354 or email** angie.smith@leicester.gov.uk

For Press Enquiries - please phone the Communications Unit on 0116 454 4151

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INTRODUCTORY PHASE

The meeting will be held in public unless stated otherwise in the report.

Present at the hearing will be Members of the Licensing Sub-Committee (minimum 3 Members), Officers from the Licensing Authority, a Legal Adviser to the Sub-Committee, an Officer from Democratic Services.

- 1. Participants at the meeting will introduce themselves as follows:
 - a. Members and Officers
 - b. Statutory Consultees (if any)
 - c. The Applicant and any representatives
 - d. Persons who have made representations
- 2. The Chair will check that the Applicant has received a copy of the Officer report.

INFORMATION GATHERING

3. The Licensing Officer presents the report (previously circulated)

Questions (for clarification purposes only):

Members

Statutory Consultees (if any)

Persons who have made representations

Applicant and Representative (s)

4. Depending on the nature of the report, Statutory Consultees present their comments.

Questions (for clarification purposes only):

Members

Officers

Persons who have made representations

Applicant and Representative(s)

5. Persons who have made representations

Questions (for clarification purposes only):

Members

Officers

Statutory Consultees (is any)

Applicant and Representative(s)

6. Applicant's Case

Questions (for clarification purposes only):

Members

Officers

Statutory Consultees

Persons who have made representations

7. Summing up in the following order

Officers
Statutory Consultees
Persons who have made representations
Applicant and Representative(s)

8. The Legal Adviser to the Sub-Committee to advise the Sub-Committee in the presence of the Applicant, Representatives, Officers, Statutory Consultees, and persons who have made representations on relevant issues the Members need to be aware of when they come to make their decision.

DECISION MAKING

9. Apart from the Sub-Committee Members and the Democratic Support Officer everyone will be asked to withdraw from the meeting The Legal Adviser to the Sub-Committee may be called back to the meeting to advise on the wording of the decision the Sub-Committee Members will have made during private deliberation.

The Applicant will be advised that the decision made by the Sub-Committee will be made public within 5 working days of the meeting.

PUBLIC SESSION

AGENDA

LIVE STREAM OF MEETING:

A live stream of the meeting can be viewed on our YouTube channel at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCddTWo00_gs0cp-301XDbXA.

- 1. APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR
- 2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
- 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are asked to declare any interests they may have in the business to be discussed.

4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Appendix A

The minutes of the meeting of the Licensing Enforcement Sub-Committee held on 2 March 2021 are attached, and Members will be asked to confirm them as a correct record.

5. PRIVATE SESSION

<u>AGENDA</u>

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC TO NOTE

Under the law, the Sub-Committee is entitled to consider certain items in private where in the circumstances the public interest in maintaining the matter exempt from publication outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information. Members of the public will be asked to leave the meeting when such items are discussed.

The Sub-Committee is recommended to consider the following reports in private on the grounds that they contain 'exempt' information as defined by the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, as amended, and consequently that the Sub-Committee makes the following resolution:-

"that the press and public be excluded during consideration of the following reports in accordance with the provisions of Section 100A(4) of the Local

Government Act 1972, as amended, because they involve the likely disclosure of 'exempt' information, as defined in the Paragraphs detailed below of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act, and taking all the circumstances into account, it is considered that the public interest in maintaining the information as exempt outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information."

Paragraph 1

Information relating to an individual.

Paragraph 3

Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority).

- B1) Determination of continued entitlement to retain a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Drivers Licence.
- B2) Application made under the Scrap Metal Dealers Act 2013.

6. DETERMINATION OF CONTINUED ENTITLEMENT TO Appendix B1 RETAIN A HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE DRIVERS LICENCE

The Director of Neighbourhood and Environmental Services submits a report.

7. APPLICATION MADE UNDER THE SCRAP METAL Appendix B2 DEALERS ACT 2013

The Director of Neighbourhood and Environmental Services submits a report.

8. ANY OTHER URGENT BUSINESS