

A record of the meeting of the Taxi Licensing Sub-Committee held in the Council Chamber, The Grange, Nutholt Lane, Ely on Wednesday 17 October 2012 at 9.30am

P R E S E N T

Councillor Tony Goodge (Chairman)
Councillor Lindsey Harris
Councillor Chris Morris
Councillor David Ambrose Smith (Reserve Member)

I N A T T E N D A N C E

Driver (viii) – Licence Holder
Ms (ix) – Licence Holder's Colleague

O F F I C E R S

Stephen Carrington - Licensing Officer (Enforcement)
Melanie Sage – Democratic Services Officer
Jeanette Thompson – Head of Legal and Democratic Services

1. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

It was resolved:

That Councillor Goodge be elected as Chairman of the Taxi Licensing Sub-Committee for the duration of the Sub-Committee Hearing.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were received.

3. INTRODUCTIONS

The Chairman welcomed and thanked the Licence Holder for attending the meeting and introduced himself. Cllrs Harris and Morris and the officers in attendance also introduced themselves.

4. EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

It was resolved:

That the press and public be excluded during the consideration of Item No. 5 because it was 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 the item there would be disclosure to them of exempt information of Categories 1, 2 and 7 Part 1 Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as Amended).

5. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT 1976 – REVIEW OF JOINT HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER’S LICENCE**

The Chairman asked Driver (viii) if he had received the report, which Driver (viii) confirmed that he had.

Subsequently the Chairman announced that the Taxi Licensing Sub-Committee would defer consideration of the matter until the next suitable date to enable the Licensing Officer to make appropriate amendments to the report.

The Chairman sincerely apologised to Driver (viii) for the considerable inconvenience this decision had caused him and that the Licensing Officer would contact him in due course.

It was resolved:

To defer consideration and decision of the matter until the next suitable date, to enable the Licensing Officer to make appropriate amendments to the report.

The meeting concluded at 9.42am.