PUBLIC PROTECTION SUB-COMMITTEE

21 JANUARY 2021

PRESENT

Councillor D. Jarman (in the Chair). Councillors S. Thomas (Vice-Chair), B. Brotherton, D. Bunting, D. Butt, C.H. Churchill and S. Taylor

In attendance

S. Lenahan Principal Solicitor (Corporate & Commercial),

K. Hinchliffe Senior Licensing Officer, N. Owen Governance Officer.

APOLOGIES

An apology for absence was received from Councillor M.J. Welton

7. MINUTES

RESOLVED: That the minutes of the meeting held on 17th December 2020 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

8. EXCLUSION RESOLUTION (REMAINING ITEMS)

RESOLVED: That the public be excluded from this meeting during consideration of the following items on the agenda because of the likelihood of disclosure of "exempt information" which falls within one or more descriptive category or categories of the Local Government Act 1972, Schedule 12A, as specified.

9. NOTIFICATION OF A MAJOR AND AN INTERMEDIATE TRAFFIC OFFENCE AGAINST A LICENSED PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER

The Head of Regulatory Services submitted a report requesting members to consider convictions recorded against a Private Hire driver.

The driver attended the meeting to enable members to give the matter their full consideration.

The driver gave his version of the circumstances and answered questions from members of the Sub-Committee.

The Sub-Committee considered the report and the evidence given at the meeting and concluded that the driver was still a fit and proper person to hold a Private Hire driver's licence.

RESOLVED: That no further action be taken against Mr. M. K.

The meeting commenced at 6.34 pm and finished at 7.34 pm.