

## **PUBLIC PROTECTION SUB-COMMITTEE**

**17 AUGUST 2023**

### **PRESENT**

Councillor D. Jarman (in the Chair).

Councillors B. Brotherton, S. J. Haughey, J. Holden, J. Lloyd (Substitute), J.D. Newgrosh, H. K. Spencer and S. Taylor

#### In attendance

J. Parry	Locum Litigation Lawyer,
J. Boles	Enforcement Support Officer,
N. Owen	Governance Officer.

### **APOLOGIES**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors S. Thomas and E.L. Hirst

### **20. QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC**

No questions were received.

### **21. MINUTES**

RESOLVED: That the minutes of the meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2023 be agreed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

### **22. EXCLUSION RESOLUTION (REMAINING ITEMS)**

RESOLVED: That the public be excluded 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 amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006, as specified on the agenda item or report relating to such item respectively.

### **23. PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER PLYING FOR HIRE AND DRIVING WHILST NOT INSURED**

The Head of Regulatory Services submitted a report requesting members to consider a Private Hire driver’s licence where information had been received from Cheshire Police where an incident had occurred.

The driver attended the meeting to enable members to give the matter their full consideration 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 no longer a fit and proper person to hold a Private Hire driver’s licence.

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RESOLVED: That Mr. M. R's Private Hire driver's licence be revoked with immediate effect in the interests of public safety.

The meeting commenced at 6.30 pm and finished at 7.37 pm