#### PUBLIC PROTECTION SUB-COMMITTEE

### 17 MAY 2022

#### **PRESENT**

Councillor D. Jarman (in the Chair).

Councillors S. Thomas (Vice-Chair), J.M. Axford, B. Brotherton, G. Coggins,

S. Taylor, M.P. Whetton and B.G. Winstanley

### In attendance

R. Smithson Corporate and Commercial Lawyer,

C. Whittle Regulatory Services Mgr (Trading Standards & Licensing),

T. Eccles Licensing Officer,N. Owen Governance Officer.

### **APOLOGIES**

An apology for absence was received from Councillor D. Butt

## 48. 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.

# 49. APPLICATION FOR THE GRANT OF A BOTH A NEW PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S AND A NEW HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVER'S LICENCE

The Head of Regulatory Services submitted a report requesting Members to consider an application for the grant of a Private Hire and Hackney Carriage driver's licence.

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

The applicant gave his version of the offence 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 applicant was a fit and proper person to hold a Private Hire driver's licence.

RESOLVED: That Mr. F. A's application for the grant of a Private Hire and Hackney Carriage driver's licence be granted.

The meeting commenced at 6.37 pm and finished at 7.48 pm