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General Licensing Sub Committee

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Dear Councillor

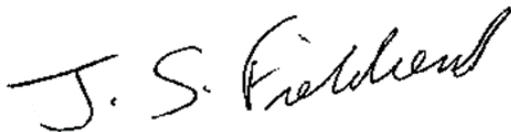
GENERAL LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the General Licensing Sub Committee of the Bolsover District Council to be held in Committee Room 1, The Arc, Clowne on Thursday, 26th January, 2023 at 10:00 hours.

Register of Members' Interests - Members are reminded that a Member must within 28 days of becoming aware of any changes to their Disclosable Pecuniary Interests provide written notification to the Authority's Monitoring Officer.

You will find the contents of the agenda itemised on page 3.

Yours faithfully



Solicitor to the Council & Monitoring Officer

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**GENERAL LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE
AGENDA**

*Thursday, 26th January 2023 at 10:00 hours taking place in Committee Room 1,
The Arc, Clowne*

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| 1. | Apologies for Absence | |
| 2. | Urgent Items of Business | |
| | To note any urgent items of business which the Chairman has consented to being considered under the provisions of Section 100(B) 4(b) of the Local Government Act 1972. | |
| 3. | Declarations of Interest | |
| | Members should declare the existence and nature of any Disclosable Pecuniary Interest and Non Statutory Interest as defined by the Members' Code of Conduct in respect of: | |
| | a) any business on the agenda | |
| | b) any urgent additional items to be considered | |
| | c) any matters arising out of those items | |
| | and if appropriate, withdraw from the meeting at the relevant time. | |
| 4. | Minutes - 23rd November 2022 | 4 - 5 |
| | To consider the minutes of a General Licensing Sub Committee meeting held on 23 rd November 2022. | |
| 5. | Exclusion of the Public | |
| | To move:- | |
| | “That the public be excluded from the meeting during the discussion of the following items of business to avoid the disclosure to them of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 1, Part I of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006)”. | |
| 6. | To consider whether an applicant is 'Fit and Proper' to hold a Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence | 6 - 18 |

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GENERAL LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE

Minutes of a meeting of the General Licensing Sub Committee of the Bolsover District Council held in Committee Room 1, The Arc, Clowne on Wednesday 23rd November 2022 at 10:00 hours.

PRESENT:-

Members:-

Councillor Ray Heffer in the Chair

Councillors Maxine Dixon and Andrew Joesbury.

Officers:- Louise Arnold (Solicitor - Contentious Team), Charmaine Terry (Environmental Health Team Manager - Licensing), Sian Harpham (Licensing and Enforcement Officer) and Hannah Douthwaite (Governance and Civic Officer).

GLSC09-22/23 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

There were no apologies for absence.

GLSC10-22/23 URGENT ITEMS OF BUSINESS

There were no urgent items of business to consider.

GLSC11-22/23 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest made.

GLSC12-22/23 MINUTES – 1ST SEPTEMBER 2022

Moved by Councillor Andrew Joesbury and seconded by Councillor Maxine Dixon **RESOLVED** that the minutes of a meeting of the General Licensing Sub Committee held on 1st September 2022 be approved as a true and correct record.

GLSC13-22/23 MINUTES – 29TH SEPTEMBER 2022

Moved by Councillor Andrew Joesbury and seconded by Councillor Maxine Dixon **RESOLVED** that the minutes of a reconvened General Licensing Sub Committee held on 29th September 2022 be approved as a true and correct record.

Due to the late arrival of the applicant, the meeting was adjourned at 10:05am. The meeting reconvened at 10:35am.

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GLSC14-22/23 EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

Moved by Councillor Ray Heffer and seconded by Councillor Andrew Joesbury.

RESOLVED that under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended), the public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the stated Paragraph of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act and it is not in the public interest for that to be revealed.

GLSC15-22/23 TO CONSIDER WHETHER A LICENCE HOLDER REMAINS FIT AND PROPER TO HOLD A PRIVATE HIRE OPERATOR'S LICENCE EXEMPT PARAGRAPH 1

The applicant attended the meeting for Committee to consider whether he remained 'fit and proper' to hold a Private Hire Operator's Licence.

The Licensing and Enforcement Officer presented the report.

The Taxi Applicant Hearing Procedure was followed.

The applicant, the Licensing and Enforcement Officer and the Environmental Health Team Manager – Licensing, left the meeting whilst Committee deliberated and returned for the announcement of the decision.

Moved by Councillor Andrew Joesbury and seconded by Councillor Maxine Dixon

RESOLVED that the applicant be allowed to continue with their combined Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's Licence but with a strict warning as to his future conduct.

(Environmental Health Team Manager – Licensing)

The meeting concluded at 11:12 hours.

Agenda Item 6

By virtue of paragraph(s) 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

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