Regulation and Review Committee

13 August 2015

Present: Councillor J Munby (Chair)

Councillors D McMeekan, T Mulvenna and J O'Shea.

RQ32/8/15 Apologies for Absence

An apology for absence was submitted on behalf of Councillor K Osborne.

RQ33/8/15 Substitute Members

There were no substitutes reported.

RQ34/8/15 Declarations of Interest and Dispensations

There were no declarations of interest or dispensations reported.

RQ35/8/15 Exclusion Resolution

Resolved that under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) and having applied a public interest test in accordance with Part 2 of Schedule 12A the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act.

RQ36/8/15 Combined Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver's Licence – Referral – Mr M

The committee considered a report by the Senior Client Manager, Technical Services which outlined the background to a referral in respect of the holder of a combined hackney carriage and private hire driver's licence.

This matter had been deferred from the previous meeting of the Committee to allow officers to make further enquiries.

Mr M was present, accompanied by his wife, and he took the opportunity of addressing the committee.

Following questions from Members, Mr and Mrs M and the Officers representing the Licensing Section left the meeting to enable consideration of the matter to be undertaken in private.

Resolved that, Mr M's combined hackney carriage and private hire driver's licence be revoked.

RQ37/8/15 Combined Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver's Licence – Referral – Mr A

The committee considered a report by the Senior Client Manager, Technical Services which outlined the background to a referral in respect of the holder of a combined hackney carriage and private hire driver's licence.

Mr A was present, accompanied by his representative Mr W, and both took the opportunity of addressing the committee.

Following questions from Members, Mr A, Mr W and the Officers representing the Licensing Section left the meeting to enable consideration of the matter to be undertaken in private.

Resolved that Mr A's combined hackney carriage and private hire driver's licence be revoked.

RQ38/8/15 Combined Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver's Licence – Referral – Ms S

The committee considered a report by the Senior Client Manager, Technical Services which outlined the background to a referral in respect of the holder of a combined hackney carriage and private hire driver's licence.

Ms S was present, accompanied by her representative Mr W, and both took the opportunity of addressing the committee.

Following questions from Members Ms S, Mr W and the Officers representing the Licensing Section left the meeting to enable consideration of the matter to be undertaken in private.

Resolved that Ms S be issued with a written warning.

RQ39/8/15 Combined Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver's Licence – Referral – Mr R

The committee considered a report by the Senior Client Manager, Technical Services which outlined the background to a referral in respect of the holder of a combined hackney carriage and private hire driver's licence.

Mr R was present, accompanied by his representative Mr W, and both took the opportunity of addressing the committee.

Following questions from Members Mr R, Mr W and the Officers representing the Licensing Section left the meeting to enable consideration of the matter to be undertaken in private.

Resolved that Mr R be issued with a written warning.