

<b>Report to:</b>	<b>PUBLIC PROTECTION SUB-COMMITTEE</b>
<b>Relevant Officer:</b>	Mark Marshall, Head of Licensing Service
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	16 January 2018

## HACKNEY CARRIAGE VEHICLE LICENCE

### 1.0 Purpose of the report:

- 1.1 To consider whether or not the licence holders are fit and proper persons to hold a Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence.

### 2.0 Recommendation(s):

- 2.1 The Sub-Committee will be requested to determine the referrals as appropriate.

### 3.0 Reasons for recommendation(s):

- 3.1 Licensed vehicles are responsible for transporting passengers. It is important for the protection of the public that only suitable vehicles that are fit for purpose are licensed.

- 3.2a Is the recommendation contrary to a plan or strategy adopted or approved by the Council? No

- 3.2b Is the recommendation in accordance with the Council's approved budget? Yes

- 3.3 Other alternative options to be considered:

None

### 4.0 Council Priority:

- 4.1 The relevant Council Priority is

"The Economy: Maximising growth and opportunity across Blackpool"

## **5.0 Background Information**

- 5.1 The Sub-Committee is asked to determine whether or not the licence holders are fit and proper persons to hold a Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence, in respect of the following cases:

F.P.L (Existing Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence holder)  
R.P (Existing Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence holder),  
A.H.B (Existing Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence holder)

- 5.2 Matters causing concern and any supporting documents are attached at Appendix 4(a)

- 5.3 Does the information submitted include any exempt information? Yes

### **List of Appendices:**

Appendix 4(a) Details of case (not for publication)

## **6.0 Legal considerations:**

- 6.1 The Sub-Committee must be satisfied that conditions on the licence are imposed or removed only as reasonably necessary.
- 6.2 There is the right of appeal to the Magistrates' Court.

## **7.0 Human Resources considerations:**

- 7.1 None

## **8.0 Equalities considerations:**

- 8.1 None

## **9.0 Financial considerations:**

- 9.1 None

## **10.0 Risk management considerations:**

- 10.1 None

**11.0 Ethical considerations:**

11.1 None

**12.0 Internal/ External Consultation undertaken:**

12.1 None

**13.0 Background papers**

13.1 None