

Report to:	PUBLIC PROTECTION SUB COMMITTEE
Relevant Officer:	Sharon Davies, Head of Licensing Service
Date of Meeting	19 th January 2016

REVIEW OF HACKNEY CARRIAGE LICENCE CONDITIONS

1.0 Purpose of the report:

1.1 To consider whether the conditions currently attached to the referred Hackney Carriage vehicle licence are still reasonably necessary.

2.0 Recommendation(s):

2.1 The Sub-Committee will be requested to determine the referral 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 "Safeguard and protect the most vulnerable"

5.0 Background Information

5.1 The Sub-Committee is asked to determine whether or not the conditions attached to the licence are still reasonably necessary for the Hackney Carriage licence, in respect

of the following case:

A.P.W (Existing)

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

Does the information submitted include any exempt information?

Yes

List of Appendices:

4(a) Details of cases (not for publication)

6.0 Legal considerations:

6.1 The Sub-Committee must be satisfied that the conditions are no longer 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