

**GATESHEAD METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**REGULATORY COMMITTEE MEETING**

**Tuesday, 10 October 2017**

**PRESENT:** Councillor K Dodds (Chair)

Councillor(s): W Dick, M Charlton, D Duggan, J Kielty,  
R Mullen, B Oliphant, M Ord, A Thompson, N Weatherley,  
D Bradford and J Green

**APOLOGIES:** Councillor(s): B Goldsworthy and J Graham

**RC137 APOLOGIES**

**RC138 MINUTES**

RESOLVED - That the minutes of the last meeting be approved as a correct record.

**RC139 APPEALS AND PROSECUTIONS**

The Committee received a report detailing licensing related appeals and prosecutions that have taken place during the period 17 June 2017 to 29 September 2017.

RESOLVED – that the information be noted

**RC140 SUSPENSIONS/REVOCATIONS UNDER DELEGATED POWERS**

The Committee received a report detailing suspensions and revocations that have taken place during the period 4 July 2017 to 25 September 2017.

RESOLVED – that the information be noted

**RC141 NEW APPLICATION FOR VEHICLE OVER 3 YEARS OLD TO BE LICENSED**

The Committee received an application for a vehicle over 3 years old to be licensed for private hire.

- RESOLVED -
- i) That a private hire vehicle licence be granted.
  - ii) That officers provide an update to a future meeting on the current position with the review of the council's policy on vehicle's over 3 years old

**RC142 EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

RESOLVED - That the press and public be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the remaining business in accordance with paragraph 7 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972

**RC143 SUMMARY OF DECISIONS**

RESOLVED – that the summaries of decision from last committee be noted.

**RC144 HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENSING ISSUES (PARAGRAPH 7)**

- RESOLVED -
- i) The Committee were satisfied that applicant RC/19/17 was a fit and proper person to hold a Private Hire Driver Licence, and that such licence should be for a three year duration.
  - ii) The Committee were satisfied that the applicant RC/20/17 was a fit and proper person to hold a Private Hire Drive Licence, and that such licence should be for a one year duration.

**Chair.....**