

SELBY DISTRICT COUNCIL

Minutes of the proceedings of a meeting of the Licensing Committee held on 14 April 2008, in Committee Room 2, The Civic Centre, Portholme Road, Selby, commencing at 10:00 am.

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Present: Councillor R Sayner in the Chair

Councillors: Mrs S Duckett, Mrs K McSherry, C Pearson, Mrs S Ryder, Mrs A Spetch and Mrs D White.

Officials: Solicitor, Licensing Enforcement Officer and Committee Administrator

Public: 0

Press: 0

830 **Apologies for Absence and Substitution**

Apologies were received from Councillors Mrs D Davies, Mrs J Dyson and J McCartney.

There were no substitute councillors.

831 **Disclosure of Interest**

None.

832 **Minutes**

Resolved:

That the minutes of the proceedings of the meeting of the Licensing Committee held on 17 March 2008 be confirmed as a correct record and be signed by the Chair.

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Procedure

The Procedure was noted.

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Chair's Address to the Licensing Committee

The Chair gave no address.

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Private Session

That in accordance with Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business, as there will be disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Section 12A of the Act, as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006.

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Application for a Hackney Carriage Licence

Councillors received the report of the Licensing Enforcement Officer for the grant of a Hackney Carriage Licence for a Ford Focus, a vehicle not fully accessible to the disabled.

This application had been deferred previously due to no up-to-date accounts being produced. The applicant had now submitted the self-assessment calculations for 2005/06 and 2006/07 had these had now been submitted for councillors' consideration.

The Licensing Enforcement Officer outlined the details of the case.

The applicant informed councillors that he was not in a position to be able to purchase a wheelchair accessible vehicle and his accounts also showed he would suffer financial hardship.

Councillors gave consideration to the full facts regarding this application and agreed that the applicant be granted a Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence in respect of this particular vehicle.

Resolved:

That the applicant be granted a Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence.

The meeting closed at 10:20 am.