North Yorkshire Council

General Licensing and Registration Sub-Committee

Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday, 22 October, 2024 commencing at 10.00 am.

Councillors Tim Grogan, Subash Sharma and Malcolm Taylor.

Officers present: Fiona Casson, Jane Graham, Lisa Templeton and Victoria Waudby.

Copies of all documents considered are in the Minute Book

1 Election of Chair

Decision

That Councillor Tim Grogan be elected as Chair for the duration of the meeting.

(Councillor Grogan in the Chair)

2 Apologies for Absence

There were no apologies for absence.

3 Disclosures of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

4 Procedure for Meeting

Decision

The Sub Committee agreed the procedure for the meeting as outlined by the Chair.

5 Exclusion of the Press and Public

Decision

That under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public were excluded from the meeting during consideration of the item of business at minute no 6 on the grounds that it involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act as the Panel was satisfied that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information.

6 Application for the grant of a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver Licence

The Sub-Committee considered the report of the Corporate Director - Environment.

Decision

Following consideration of all matters before the Sub Committee, the Sub-Committee determined that at this time the applicant was not considered to be a 'fit and proper' person to hold a Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver's licence and the application was refused.

The meeting concluded at 10.45 am.