ITEM 4

Time Commenced: 6:00pm Time Finished: 6:25pm

LICENSING COMMITTEE 22 September 2016

Present: Councillor Sandhu (Chair)

Councillors Ashburner, Barker, Froggatt, Hezelgrave, A Holmes, Jackson,

Whitby

11/16 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Pegg, J Khan, Raju, Keith, Poulter and Marshall.

12/16 Late Items

There were no late items to be introduced by the Chair.

13/16 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

14/16 Minutes of the Meeting held on 14 July 2016

The minutes of the meeting held on 14 July 2016 were agreed as an accurate record.

15/16 The Voluntary Individual Vehicle Approval Scheme (VIVA) for New Private Hire Vehicles

The Committee considered a report of the Strategic Director of Communities and Place which was titled "The Voluntary Individual Vehicle Approval Scheme (VIVA) for New Private Hire Vehicles". The scheme was for the testing of vehicles to ensure they met technical requirements and were designed and constructed to modern and environmental standards which included the modified vehicles which wished to be licensed as private hire vehicles.

Resolved to:

- 1) Note the report
- 2) approve the requirement for modified vehicles the subject of an application to be licensed as new private hire vehicle, to produce a VIVA to the Council's Licensing Team prior to undergoing the standard test at the

approved garage.

16/16 To consider a resolution to exclude the press and public from the meeting during the consideration of Item 10.

"That under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 the public be excluded from the meeting during discussion of the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 3 & 5 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act and that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information"

Resolved to exclude press and public.

MINUTES END