

Time commenced : 6.10 pm  
Time finished : 6.20 pm

**TAXI LICENSING AND APPEALS COMMITTEE**  
**26 JULY 2006**

Present: Councillor Redfern (Chair)

Councillors Baxter, Bolton, Hickson, Hird, Hussain, Lowe, Poulter, Richards,  
Roberts and Skelton

In attendance: Councillor Jackson

**01/06 Apologies**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Dhamrait and Leeming.

**02/06 Minutes of the Previous Meeting**

The minutes of the meeting held on 19 April 2006 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

**03/06 Late items introduced by the Chair**

There were no late items

**04/06 Declarations of Interest**

Councillor Khan declared a personal prejudicial interest in minute number 05/06 and 06/06 as he was employed as a taxi driver.

**05/06 Appeal Against Revocation of Hackney Carriage and  
Private Hire Driver Licences**

The Committee considered a report from the Director of Corporate and Adult Social Services that detailed the outcome of appeals following the revocation of Hackney Carriage and Private Hire drivers licences by the Councils Licensing Sub Committee A and the Taxi Licensing Sub Committee.

**Resolved to note the outcome of Mr Hussain and Mr Adris' appeals against the revocation of their Hackney Carriage drivers licences and the outcome of Mr Shakoor's appeal against revocation of his Private Hire drivers licence.**

**06/06 Taxi Licensing Section – Statistics for Licensing and  
Enforcement Activities – Quarters 1 and 2 2006**

The Committee considered a report from the Director of Corporate and Adult Social Services that gave detailed of statistics for January to March and April to June 2006 of performance and workload data relating to taxi licensing activities. It was highlighted that, although a number of the figures for suspension of licences seemed high, they

were a percentage from a 'targeted group' and did not reflect the whole of the taxi trade in general. It was noted that it was acknowledged by the trade that Derby City Council had high standards and expectations from its licensed vehicles.

**Resolved to note the report.**

MINUTES END