

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE TAXI LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE HELD AT  
CONFERENCE ROOM, BRECON - NEUADD BRYCHEINIOG ON TUESDAY, 20  
AUGUST 2019**

PRESENT

County Councillor H Lewis [Chair]

County Councillors J Williams and R Williams

<b>1.</b>	<b>RESOLUTION TO EXCLUDE THE PUBLIC AND THE PRESS</b>
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**RESOLVED** that in accordance with Section 100(a)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 the public and press were excluded from the meeting on the grounds that there would be disclosure to them of exempt information under Paragraphs 12 and 18 of Schedule 12a Part 7 of the above Act in respect of the following item[s].

<b>2.</b>	<b>APPLICATION FOR JOINT HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S LICENCE</b>
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2.1. Sub-Committee's procedures

The Chair introduced the Sub-Committee and its Clerk.

The Clerk to the Sub-Committee on behalf of the Solicitor to the Council explained the procedures to be followed by the Sub-Committee.

2.2. Application for a licence - RB

**Applicant** – RB - Represented by Mr G W, Solicitor

The Licensing Officer presented the licensing authority's position as outlined in the report [copy filed with the signed minutes].

Mr GW on behalf of his client explained the circumstances surrounding the driving offences identified by the DVLA. The Sub-Committee remained concerned that the applicant had not informed the licensing officer in accordance with its requirements but on balance considered that RB remained a fit and proper person to hold the above licenses.

All parties confirmed that they had been able to make their representations.

The Sub-Committee withdrew to consider, in private, the application and the evidence they had heard, with the support of the Clerk.

On their return the Chair announced their decision. In reaching the decision members took into account the relevant written and verbal representations.

<b>RESOLVED</b>	<b>Reason for decision</b>
<b>To grant the application subject to a warning about the importance of reporting any offences in the</b>	<b>That the Applicant was a fit and proper person to hold a joint hackney carriage and private hire</b>

<b>future.</b>	<b>drivers licence.</b>
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The Clerk to the Sub-Committee advised that he would confirm the decision in writing and reminded parties of their right to appeal.

The Chair thanked all for attending.

**County Councillor H Lewis**  
**Chair**