

## SCHEDULE 12A LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 **EXEMPTION FROM DISCLOSURE OF DOCUMENTS**

REPORT:

To consider whether the driver is "Fit and Proper" to continue

to hold a Hackney Carriage/Private Hire drivers licence and a

Private Hire Operators Licence.

AUTHOR:

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MEETING AND DATE

Tuesday 5th September 2023

OF MEETING:

Licensing and Regulatory Committee

I have considered grounds for exemption of information contained in the report referred to above and make the following recommendation to the Proper Officer:-

Exemptions applying to the report: information relating to a particular individual as described in Paragraph 12 of part 4 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972

Factors In favour of disclosure:

Openness and transparency in matters concerned with the public Not applicable at this time ( see below)

Prejudice which would result if the information were disclosed:

Applicable The applicant will be attending the Committee meeting on the Tuesday 5th September 2023 and any information disclosed prior to this date may jeopardise the applicant's right to a fair hearing

My view on the public interest test is as follows: Factors in favour of not disclosing outweigh those against.

Recommended decision on exemption from disclosure: Maintain exemption from publication in relation to report.

Date: 24th August 2023