

Cherwell District Council

Licensing Sub Committee

Minutes of a meeting of the Licensing Sub Committee held at Bodicote House, Bodicote, Banbury, OX15 4AA, on 29 October 2009 at 1.30 pm.

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Licensing Sub Committee - Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence

I refer to the meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee ("the Panel") meeting on Wednesday 29 October 2009 when the Panel considered your appeal against the Head of Urban and Rural Services' decision to refuse your application for a Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence.

After careful consideration of the factors relevant to your case as presented by the Licensing Team Leader, and having listened to the representations made by you and your representatives the Panel decided to uphold the decision of the Head of Urban and Rural Services to refuse your Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence.

The Panel came to this decision for the reason that you are not a fit and proper person to hold a Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle License. In reaching their decision the Panel had regard to you criminal conviction for battery, the Council's guidelines and the overriding need to ensure public safety and protection.

You have a right of appeal to the Magistrates' Court against the Panel's decision. The appeal must be lodged with the court within 21 days of the date you received this letter. You are strongly advised to contact your solicitor to ensure that you are aware of your rights.

Yours sincerely

Councillor Rose Stratford
Chairman of the Licensing Sub Committee 29/10/09

cc. Head of Urban & Rural Services
Members of the Licensing Sub Committee – Cllr Blackwell and Cllr O’Sullivan
Angela Porter Solicitors

The meeting ended at 2.00 pm