

Cherwell District Council

Licensing Sub Committee

Minutes of a meeting of the Licensing Sub Committee held at Bodicote House,
Bodicote, Banbury, OX15 4AA, on 15 July 2009 at 1.00 pm.

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**Licensing Sub Committee
Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976
Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence**

Dear Mr Khan

I refer to the meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee ("the Panel") meeting on Wednesday 15 July 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 the representations made by you, together with the letters from Alyas Ahmed and Ian Sloan, the Panel decided to uphold the decision of the Head of Urban and Rural Services to refuse your application for a Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence.

The Panel came to this decision for the reason that they were not satisfied at this time that you are a fit and proper person to hold a Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Drivers Licence.

In reaching their decision, the Panel had regard to the offences on your criminal record. The Panel considered that given the serious nature of these offences, a longer trouble free period was required.

The Panel asked me to indicate to you, without prejudice to any future decision, it might be appropriate for you to apply again after another six months.

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

Mary Harpley
Chief Executive

cc Head of Urban & Rural Services
Members of the Licensing Sub Committee

The meeting ended at 1.50 pm