

## Licensing Sub-Committee

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### Exclusion of the Press and Public

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#### Summary

This report summarises the content of reports which, in the opinion of the proper officer, contains exempt information within three of the categories in Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972. It is a matter for the Sub-Committee to determine whether the press and public should be excluded from the meeting during consideration of these items.

#### 1. Recommendation

- 1.1 The Sub-Committee is required to decide whether to exclude the press and public during consideration of these items because consideration of the matter in public would disclose information falling within three of the descriptions of exempt information contained in Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, as specified below, and, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption, outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

<b>Report Title</b>	Appeal against the issuing of internal penalty points to a Hackney Carriage Driver Licence
<b>Agenda Item</b>	6
<b>Summary</b>	The report contains personal information relating to the individual involved in the above case.
<b>Category of exempt information (Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972)</b>	Not for publication under paragraphs 1, 2 and 5 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 – 1 – information relating to an individual 2 – information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual 5 – information in respect of which a claim to legal privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings

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## Appendices

None.

## Background Papers

None.