

Licensing Sub-Committee

Minutes of the meeting held in the Ditchling Room, Southover House,
Southover Road, Lewes, East Sussex, BN7 1AB on 12 March 2020 at 10.00am

Present:

Councillors Isabelle Linington (Chair on election), Sean MacLeod and
Christine Robinson

Officers in attendance:

Danielle Ball (Specialist Advisor, Licensing)
Jo Dunk (Senior Specialist Advisor, Environmental Health)
Jennifer Norman (Committee Officer, Democratic Services)
Michele Wilkinson (Lawyer, Housing & Regulatory)

1 Election of chair of the sub-committee for this meeting

Resolved:

That Councillor Linington be elected Chair of the Sub-Committee for the
duration of the meeting.

2 Apologies for absence/declaration of substitute members

There were none.

3 Declarations of interest

There were none.

4 Exclusion of the public and press

Resolved:

That, under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as
amended), the public and press be excluded from the hearing as there was
likely to be disclosures of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 1, 2
and 7 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act. The public interest in maintaining
the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

5 Determination of Private Hire Driver's Licence

The Sub-Committee considered the Officer's report and representations made by the Licensee.

Resolved:

That the Private Hire Driver licence issued by Lewes District Council to the Licensee be suspended for a period of 4 weeks, without immediate effect.

The meeting ended at 11.04am.

Councillor Isabelle Linington (Chair on election)