

## **LICENSING BOARD**

**Minutes of the meeting held on 4 January 2018 at 10.00 am in Council Chamber, Council Offices, Cecil Street, Margate, Kent.**

**Present:** Councillor Linda Potts (Chairman); Councillors K Coleman-Cooke, Crow-Brown, Curran, J Fairbrass, Johnston, Matterface, R Potts, Rogers, Tomlinson and M Saunders

**391. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies were received from Councillors Connor and Dellar.

**392. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest.

**393. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

Councillor Johnston proposed, Councillor K Coleman-Cooke seconded and Members agreed the minutes of the Licensing Board meeting held on 10 October 2017.

**394. LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Councillor Johnston proposed, Councillor K Coleman-Cooke seconded and Members agreed the minutes of the Licensing Sub-Committee meeting held on 7 December 2017.

**395. REPORT ON PROSECUTIONS, APPEALS, LICENSING UPDATE**

The Regulatory Services Manager presented the report.

Members noted the report.

**396. TO CONSIDER ANY REVISION TO THE TARIFF FOR HACKNEY CARRIAGE VEHICLES IN THANET**

The Regulatory Services Manager presented the report.

Councillor Tomlinson proposed, Councillor Johnston seconded and Members agreed:

“Option 3.1- To make no revisions to the current tariff. Members considered that the representation which had been received from the Hackney Carriage Drivers did not indicate which companies or how many drivers were seeking an increase in the tariff. It was also noted that the representation was received several weeks after it had been requested. It was considered that there was not enough information to suggest that there was strong feeling from Hackney Carriage Drivers regarding an increase in the tariff.”

Meeting concluded : 10.14am