

REPORT FROM: PLANNING, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & REGULATORY SERVICE MANAGER

TO: TAXI LICENSING COMMITTEE

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RESULTS OF APPEALS/PROSECUTIONS

PURPOSE OF REPORT

To report, for information, the decisions of appeals/prosecutions since the last meeting.

APPEALS

1. Khadim Hussain – appeal against refusal of a private hire and hackney carriage driver’s licence

An appeal was dismissed at Burnley Magistrates’ Court on 19th January 2023, against the refusal of the grant of a driver’s licence. Costs of £400 were awarded to the Council.

2. Zeeshaan Ali Tariq Hussain - appeal against refusal of a private hire and hackney carriage driver’s licence

An appeal was dismissed at Burnley Magistrates’ Court on 05th January 2023, against the refusal of the grant of a driver’s licence. Costs of £240 were awarded to the Council.

IMPLICATIONS

Policy: An appeal can be lodged to the Magistrates' Court against a decision to refuse, renew, suspend or revoke a licence or any conditions attached to a licence.

Financial: There is a cost to the Council for legal representation.

Legal: The Council can defend an appeal.

Risk Management: None arising directly from the report.

Health and Safety: None arising directly from the report.

Sustainability: None arising directly from the report.

Community Safety: None arising directly from the report.

Equality and Diversity: None arising directly from the report.

LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS - None