

Licensing Sub-Committee of the Regulatory Committee

11.30am, Tuesday 24 August 2021

Present

Councillors Fullerton (Convener), Dixon, Mitchell, Mowat, Rae, Rose, Neil Ross and Wilson.

1. Resolution to Consider in Private

The Sub-Committee agreed under Section 50(A)(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, to exclude the public from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they would involve the disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 3, 6, 12 and 14 of Part 1 of Schedule 7A of the Act.

2. Request for Variation – Private Hire Car Licence

The Sub-Committee considered a request to vary a private hire car licence to exempt the requirement to display “Pre-Booked Hires Only” signage on the front door of the vehicle. The Executive Director of Place and the licence holder were heard.

Decision

To determine the request as detailed in the Confidential Schedule, signed by the Convener, with reference to this minute.

(Reference – report by the Regulatory Services Manager, submitted)

3. Applications for Grant of Taxi Licences – LPG Conversions

Decision

To note that the report had been withdrawn at the request of the Executive Director of Place.

4. Request for Suspension or Revocation of Taxi Driver’s Licence

The Sub-Committee considered a request to suspend or revoke a Taxi Driver’s Licence. The Executive Director of Place, Police Scotland, the licence holder and representative were heard.

Decision

To determine the request as detailed in the Confidential Schedule, signed by the Convener, with reference to this minute.

(Reference – report by the Regulatory Services Manager, submitted)

5. Police Request for Suspension or Revocation of Private Hire Driver Licence

The Sub-Committee considered a request from Police Scotland to suspend or revoke a Private Hire Driver Licence. Police Scotland and the licence holder were heard.

Decision

To determine the request as detailed in the Confidential Schedule, signed by the Convener, with reference to this minute.

(Reference – report by the Regulatory Services Manager, submitted)

6. Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 – Applications for Miscellaneous Licences

Details were provided of 4 applications for miscellaneous licences. The Executive Director of Place, Police Scotland and the applicants were heard.

Decision

To determine the requests as detailed in the Confidential Schedule, signed by the Convener, with reference to this minute.

(Reference – list of applications, submitted)