

Licensing Sub-Committee of the Regulatory Committee

12.30pm, Friday 28 January 2022

Present

Councillors Fullerton (Convener) (items 1.1-4.1), Dixon (Vice-Convener), Perry (substituting for Councillor Wilson) (items 1.1-4.1), Mowat and Neil Ross.

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 Suspension or Revocation of Private Hire Driver Licence

The Sub-Committee considered a request to suspend or revoke a Private Hire Driver Licence. Police Scotland, the Regulatory Services Manager, 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 to Vary the Conditions of Taxi or Private Hire Car Licences – Exemptions from Policy

The Regulatory Committee had agreed to amend its policy and licensing conditions regarding the age and emissions standards of licensed vehicles in Edinburgh's Taxi and Private Hire Car fleet at its meeting on 16 March 2018.

14 requests had been received for exemption to this policy. An agent, a licence holder and relevant Council officers were heard.

Decision

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

(References – Regulatory Committee 16 March 2018 (item 1); report by the Regulatory Services Manager, submitted)