

# Minutes

## Licensing Sub-Committee of the Regulatory Committee

9.30am, Tuesday 6 September 2022

### Present

Councillors Mowat (Convener), Caldwell, Dalglish, Fullerton, Mattos Coelho, Rae and Neil Ross.

### 1. Application for New Taxi Licence – AARC Taxi Ltd

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The Sub-Committee considered an application for a New Taxi Licence submitted by AARC Taxi Ltd. The Head of Regulatory Services and the applicant were heard.

#### Decision

To grant the licence subject to the standard conditions for this category of licence and a suitable vehicle being presented for and passing inspection by the Taxi Examination Centre within six weeks.

(Reference – report by the Head of Regulatory Services, submitted)

### 2. Application for New Taxi Licence – TBC2 Edinburgh Ltd

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The Sub-Committee considered an application for a New Taxi Licence submitted by TBC2 Edinburgh Ltd. The Head of Regulatory Services and the applicant were heard.

#### Decision

- 1) To grant the licence subject to the standard conditions for this category of licence and a suitable vehicle being presented for and passing inspection by the Taxi Examination Centre within six weeks.
- 2) To request a progress update on the purchase of a suitable vehicle to the meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee in November 2022.

(Reference – report by the Head of Regulatory Services, submitted)

### 3. Resolution to Consider in Private

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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.

#### **4. Police Request for Suspension or Revocation of Licence and Objection to Change of Manager**

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##### **Decision**

To note that the report had been withdrawn at the request of the Head of Regulatory Services.

(Reference – report by the Head of Regulatory Services, submitted)

#### **5. Police Request for Suspension or Revocation of Licence**

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The Sub-Committee considered a request from Police Scotland to suspend or revoke a Licence. The Head of Regulatory Services and Police Scotland 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 Head of Regulatory Services, submitted)

#### **6. Revocation or Suspension of Private Hire Driver's Licence**

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The Sub-Committee considered a request from Police Scotland to suspend or revoke a Private Hire Driver's Licence. The Head of Regulatory Services, 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 Head of Regulatory Services, submitted)

#### **7. Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 – Applications for Miscellaneous Licences**

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Details were provided of 3 applications for miscellaneous licences. The Head of Regulatory Services, Police Scotland, the applicants and their agents 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)