

Minutes

Licensing Sub-Committee of the Regulatory Committee

9:30am, Tuesday 25 July 2023

Present

Councillors Mowat (Convener), Caldwell, Dixon, Graham, Ross and Work.

1. Application for House in Multiple Occupation Licence – 193 (4F1) Bruntsfield Place, Edinburgh

The Sub-Committee considered an application for a House in Multiple Occupation Licence for property at 193 (4F1) Bruntsfield Place, Edinburgh.

Decision

- 1) To grant the licence for a period of 12 months subject to the Council's standard conditions for this category of licence.
- 2) To note the undertaking from the applicant that the property would be managed by an agent during the period of the HMO licence.

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

2. 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.

3. Request for Suspension of Private Hire Driver Licence

The Sub-Committee considered a request by the Head of Regulatory Services to suspend a Private Hire Driver Licence. The Head of Regulatory Services, Police Scotland and the Licence Holder's agent 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)

4. Request for Suspension of Private Hire Driver Licence

The Sub-Committee considered a request by the Head of Regulatory Services to suspend a Private Hire Driver Licence.

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)

5. Request for Suspension of Private Hire Driver Licence

The Sub-Committee considered a request by the Head of Regulatory Services to suspend a Private Hire Driver Licence.

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. Request for Recall of Suspension of Private Hire Driver Licence

The Sub-Committee considered a request from a Private Hire Driver to recall suspension of his licence. The Head of Regulatory Services, Police Scotland and the Licence Holder's agent 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. Police Request for Suspension of Private Hire Driver Licence

The Sub-Committee considered a request by Police Scotland to suspend a Private Hire Driver Licence. The Head of Regulatory Services, Police Scotland and the Licence Holder's agent 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)