

# TAXI AND GENERAL SUB COMMITTEE

# MINUTES OF THE MULTI-LOCATIONAL MEETING HELD IN PENALLTA HOUSE AND VIA MICROSOFT TEAMS ON THURSDAY, 2ND MARCH, 2023 AT 9.45 AM

# PRESENT

Councillor W. Williams - Chair

Councillors:

C.J. Gordon and S. Williams

Together with:

L. Morgan (Licensing Manager), S. Lewis-Williams (Senior Licensing Officer), T. Rawson (Solicitor and J. Thomas (Committee Services Officer)

Also Present:

Applicant Mr P (Agenda Item 5), Mr R (Agenda Item 6) Mr W (Agenda Item 7)

### RECORDING AND FILMING ARRANGEMENTS.

It was noted during the proceedings that the meeting was being live streamed, and a recording would be made available to view via the Council's website, except for discussions involving confidential or exempt items. Click Here To View

At the start of the meeting the Chair addressed the Sub Committee and attendees to advise them that Agenda Item Number 7 was being brought forward to be heard following Agenda Item 4.

#### 1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

There were no apologies for absence.

#### 2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

There were no declarations of interest made at the beginning or during the course of the meeting.

#### 3 EXEMPT MATTER.

Members considered the 4 public interest tests certificate from the Proper Officer and concluded that on balance the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information and it was

RESOLVED that in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 the public be excluded from the remainder of the meeting because of the likely disclosure to them of exempt information as identified in paragraph 12 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

# 4 LICENSING OF HACKNEY CARRIAGE/PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE DRIVERS AND VEHICLE PROPRIETOR LICENCE.

Mr Lee Morgan (Licensing Manager) addressed the Sub Committee to advise that the agenda item was withdrawn as a result of an inaccuracy identified in the report.

#### 7 LICENSING OF HACKNEY CARRIAGE /PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE DRIVERS.

Having regard to the Officer's report and all the representations made, and for the reasons disclosed at the meeting, the Sub Committee unanimously RESOLVED that the application for the grant of a hackney carriage/private hire vehicle driver's licence be refused.

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The meeting closed at 13.10 p.m.