

TAXI AND GENERAL SUB COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF THE MULTI-LOCATIONAL MEETING HELD IN PENALLTA HOUSE AND VIA MICROSOFT TEAMS ON THURSDAY, 21ST MARCH, 2024 AT 10.00 AM

PRESENT

Councillor W. Williams - Chair

Councillors:

C.J. Gordon and S. Williams

Together with:

Officers: L. Morgan (Licensing Manager), B. Thomas (Senior Licensing Officer), S. Rees (Licensing Officer), T. Lewis (Solicitor) and A. Jones (Committee Services Officer)

Also Present:

Mr E (Applicant) Agenda Item 4 and Mr C (Applicant) Agenda Item 5.

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

No apologise for absence were received.

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 two public interest tests certificates 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.

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 a new Hackney Carriage/ Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence be granted subject to a satisfactory Group 2 Medical.

The applicant was informed of their right of appeal within 21 days following receipt of the written decision notice to appeal to the local Magistrates Court.

5 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 a new Hackney Carriage/ Private Hire Vehicle Driver's Licence be refused.

The applicant was informed of their right of appeal within 21 days following receipt of the written decision notice to appeal to the local Magistrates Court.

The meeting closed at 11.47am