

LICENSING COMMITTEE

Minute of Meeting of the Licensing Committee held in the Council Chambers, Council Building, 2 High Street, Perth on Thursday 16 May 2013 at 10.00am.

Present: Councillors J Coburn (Convener), R Brock, D Pover and M Roberts.

In Attendance: S Rodger, M Baker and Y Oliver (all Chief Executive's Service).

Apologies: Councillors B Ellis, J Flynn and D Melloy.

J Coburn (Convener), Presiding.

299. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no Declarations of Interest in terms of the Councillors' Code of Conduct.

300. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

- (i) The Minute of the Special Meeting of the Licensing Committee of 28 March 2013 (Arts. 194-195) was submitted and approved as a correct record.
- (ii) The Minute of the Licensing Committee of 11 April 2013 (Arts. 200-210) was submitted and approved as a correct record.

301. VARIATION OF PRIVATE HIRE OPERATOR'S LICENCE – PH349

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal Services (13/230) together with letter dated 24 April 2013 from the licence holder, regarding Variation of Private Hire Operator's Licence PH349.

The licence holder was in attendance, addressed the Committee and answered members' questions.

Resolved:

Variation of Private Hire Operator's Licence PH349 be varied for one year, to extend the age limit for replacement of the vehicle, with effect from 19 May 2013.

302. GRANT OF SECOND-HAND MOTOR DEALER'S LICENCE – MD200

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal Services (13/231) together with (i) two letters of objection dated 15 February 2013 and (ii) e-mail objection from Planning/Development Management regarding Grant of Second-Hand Motor Dealer's Licence MD200.

Mr J Morton and Ms S Robertson, objectors to the application, and Mr M Mackie, applicant, addressed the Committee and answered Members' questions.

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FOLLOWING A SHORT ADJOURNMENT, THE COMMITTEE RECONVENED.

Resolved:

Second-Hand Motor Dealer's Licence MD200 be refused, on the grounds that the premises are not suitable or convenient for the conduct of the activity having regard to both the location and character of the premises and the nature and extent of the proposed activity.

IT WAS AGREED THAT THE PUBLIC AND PRESS SHOULD BE EXCLUDED DURING CONSIDERATION OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN ORDER TO AVOID THE DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION WHICH IS EXEMPT IN TERMS OF SCHEDULE 7A TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1973.

303. GRANT OF TAXI/PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVER'S LICENCE – TD1283

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal Services (13/232) regarding consideration of Grant of Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence TD1283.

The applicant was not in attendance.

Resolved:

Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence TD1283 be refused, on the grounds that the applicant is not a fit and proper person to be the holder of a Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence.

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