

## LICENSING COMMITTEE

Minute of Meeting of the Licensing Committee held in the Hay Room, Dewars Centre, Glover Street, Perth on Thursday 8 January 2015 at 10.00am.

Present: Councillors J Coburn (Convener), B Ellis, R Brock, J Flynn and D Melloy.

In Attendance: Mr B Kerr, Licensing Supervisor, Mrs S Michie and L Gregg (all Police Scotland); M McLaren, W Gibson, P Frazer, and H Rheinallt (all Chief Executive's Service).

Apology for Absence: Councillor M Roberts.

Councillor J Coburn (Convener), Presiding.

### 1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

The Convener welcomed everyone to the meeting and an apology was noted as above.

### 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

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

### 3. MINUTE OF PREVIOUS MEETING

The Minute of Meeting of the Licensing Committee of 11 December 2014 (Arts. 805-813) was submitted and approved as a correct record.

**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.**

### 4. SUSPENSION OF TAXI/PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVER'S LICENCE – TD442

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal Services (14/555), together with a letter dated 9 December 2014 from Police Scotland requesting immediate suspension of Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence TD442.

The licence holder was in attendance, accompanied by his employer. The representative of Police Scotland addressed the Committee and answered Members' questions. The licence holder and his employer also addressed the Committee and answered Members' questions.

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*FOLLOWING A SHORT ADJOURNMENT, THE COMMITTEE RECONVENED.*

**Resolved:**

Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence TD442 not be suspended.

**5. SUSPENSION OF TAXI/PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVER'S LICENCE – TD50**

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal Services (14/556), together with a letter dated 2 December 2014 from Police Scotland requesting immediate suspension of Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence TD50.

The licence holder was not in attendance.

The representative of Police Scotland addressed the Committee and answered Members' questions.

**Resolved:**

Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence TD50 be suspended for the duration of the licence, i.e. to 19 November 2017, on the grounds that the licence holder is no longer a fit and proper person to hold the licence.

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