MINUTE

of

LICENSING COMMITTEE

Minute of Meeting held at 2.00pm in the Committee Room, Council Headquarters, Eastwood Park, Giffnock, on 14 May 2019.

Present:

Councillor Angela Convery (Chair) Councillor Betty Cunningham (Vice Chair) Councillor Charlie Gilbert Councillor Stewart Miller

Councillor Convery in the Chair

Attending:

Jacqui McCusker, Senior Solicitor; Brian Kilpatrick, Civic Government Enforcement Officer; and Ron Leitch, Committee Services Officer.

Apology:

Councillor Alan Lafferty.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

888. There were no declarations of interest intimated.

Resolution to Exclude Press and Public

At this point in the meeting, on the motion of the Chair, the committee unanimously resolved that in accordance with the provisions of Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, as amended, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the undernoted items of business on the grounds that they involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 6 and 14 of Part 1 of Schedule 7A to the Act.

PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVER'S LICENCE – APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL

889. Under reference to the Minute of the meeting of 16 April 2019 (Page 806, Item 1857 refers) when it had been agreed to defer consideration of an application for renewal of a Private Hire Car Driver's Licence to enable the applicant to make a personal appearance, the committee considered a report by the Chief Officer (Legal & Procurement) in relation to an application for the renewal of a Private Hire Car Driver's Licence (Agenda Item 3 refers).

The applicant was present.

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The applicant was invited to comment on the application with particular reference to a number of discrepancies within the supporting documentation and to respond to questions from Elected Members.

Following detailed discussion the committee agreed to a short adjournment to consider the matter.

On reconvening, the committee agreed that the application be refused on the grounds that the documentation provided contained a number of major discrepancies which did not support the application.

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The applicant was present.

The applicant was invited to comment on the application with particular reference to a number of discrepancies within the supporting documentation and to respond to questions from Elected Members.

Following detailed discussion the committee agreed to a short adjournment to consider the matter.

On reconvening, the committee agreed that the application be refused on the grounds that the documentation provided contained a number of major discrepancies which did not support the application.

CHAIR