

SCOTTISH BORDERS COUNCIL CIVIC GOVERNMENT LICENSING COMMITTEE

MINUTES of Meeting of the CIVIC
GOVERNMENT LICENSING COMMITTEE
held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNCIL
HEADQUARTERS, NEWTOWN ST
BOSWELLS - Blended on Friday, 26 January
2024 at 10.30 am

Present: - Councillors M. Douglas (Convener), J. Cox, D. Parker, J. Paton Day, N. Richards, E. Small, F. Sinclair, T. Weatherston.

In Attendance: - Managing Solicitor (Property and Licensing), Licensing Standards and Enforcement Officers (M. Wynne, J Scott and Hannah Wood), Licensing Officers – (S. Lackenby and T. Thomson), PC S Dishington, Sergeant S. Miller (Police Scotland), Democratic Services Officer (F. Henderson).

1.0 MINUTE

There had been circulated copies of the Minute of the Meeting held on 15 December 2023.

DECISION

APPROVED the minute for signature by the Convener.

2.0 LICENSES ISSUED UNDER DELEGATED POWERS

For Members' information there had been circulated copies of lists of licences dealt with under delegated powers for the period 5 December 2023 – 15 January 2024.

DECISION

NOTED.

PRIVATE BUSINESS

DECISION

AGREED under Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 to exclude the public from the meeting during consideration of the business detailed in the Appendix to this Minute on the grounds that it involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 14 of Part I of Schedule 7A to the Act.

SUMMARY OF PRIVATE BUSINESS

3.0 LICENSING OF TAXIS, PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLES AND DRIVERS

Hearing to consider suspension of Taxi Driver Licence

There had been circulated copies of a letter from the LSEO dated 14 December 2023 together with a series of Appendices in relation to a Taxi Driver Licence and a taxi vehicle licence.

4.0 MINUTE

The Private Section of the Minute of 15 December 2024 had been circulated.

DECISION

AGREED.

The meeting concluded at 11.20 a.m.