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CIVIC GOVERNMENT LICENSING COMMITTEE FRIDAY, 26TH JANUARY, 2024

A MEETING of the CIVIC GOVERNMENT LICENSING COMMITTEE will be held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS, NEWTOWN ST BOSWELLS on FRIDAY, 26 JANUARY 2024 at 10.30 a.m. This will be a blended meeting.

All Attendees, including members of the public, should note that the public business in this meeting will be livestreamed and video recorded and that recording will be available thereafter for public view for 180 days .

N. McKINLAY,
Director of Corporate Governance

16 January 2024

BUSINESS		
1.	Apologies for Absence	
2.	Order of Business	
3.	Declarations of Interest	
4.	Minute (Pages 3 – 4) Minute of Meeting held on 15 December 2023 to be approved and signed by the Chairman. (Copy attached.)	2 mins
5.	Licences issued under Delegated Powers (Pages 5 – 8) (Copy attached.)	5 mins
6.	Items Likely to be Taken in Private Before proceeding with the private business, the following motion should be approved: “That under Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 the public be exclude from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 14 of Part 1 of Schedule 7A to the aforementioned	

	Act.”	
7.	Licensing of Taxi, Private Hire Vehicles and Drivers (Pages 9 – 22) Hearing to consider Variation to Taxi Vehicle Licence and Suspension of Taxi Driver Licence. Consider letter received from Licensing Standards and Enforcement Officer (Copy letter and supporting documents attached.) (licenceholder cited to attend.)	30 mins
8.	Minute (Pages 23 – 24) Private section of Minute of Meeting held on 15 December 2023 to be approved and signed by the Chairman. (Copy attached.)	2 mins
9.	Any Other Items Previously Circulated	
10.	Any Other Items which the Chairman Decides are Urgent	

NOTES

1. **Timings given above are only indicative and not intended to inhibit Members’ discussions.**
2. **Members are reminded that, if they have a pecuniary or non-pecuniary interest in any item of business coming before the meeting, that interest should be declared prior to commencement of discussion on that item. Such declaration will be recorded in the Minute of the meeting.**

Membership of Committee:- Councillors M. Douglas (Chair), J. Cox, D. Parker, J. PatonDay, N. Richards, F. Sinclair, E. Small and T. Weatherston.

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**SCOTTISH BORDERS COUNCIL
CIVIC GOVERNMENT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

MINUTE of Meeting of the CIVIC GOVERNMENT LICENSING COMMITTEE held in Council Chamber, Council Headquarters, Newtown St. Boswells and via Microsoft Teams on 15 December 2023 at 10.30a.m.

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

Apologies: Councillor D. Parker.

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

1. **MINUTE**

There had been circulated copies of the Minute of the Meeting held on 20 October 2023.

DECISION

AGREED to approve the Minute for signature by the Chairman.

2. **LICENSES ISSUED UNDER DELEGATED POWERS**

For Members' information there had been circulated copies of lists of licences dealt with under delegated powers for the periods 9 October - 4 December 2023.

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 grant of Taxi Driver Licence

There had been circulated copies of an application for the grant of a Taxi Drivers Licence together with a letter from Police Scotland, dated 1 November 2023 for information. A letter of support from a potential employer had also been circulated.

4.0 **MINUTE**

The Private Section of the Minute of 20 October 2023 had been circulated.

**DECISION
AGREED.**

The meeting concluded at 11 a.m.

**CIVIC GOVERNMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS LICENCES
ISSUED UNDER DELEGATED POWERS**

05 December 2023 - 15 January 2024

NAME OF APPLICANT	TYPE OF LICENCE	DETAILS
Miller Country Parks Limited	Caravan Site Licence	Crossburn Caravan Park, Edinburgh Road, Peebles
Motor Fuel Limited	Late Hours Catering Licence	Grant - Tweedbank Service Station, Tweedbank Industrial Estate, Tweedbank, Galashiels General Groceries and Hot and Cold Food / Drinks Monday to Sunday - 11.00pm - 5.00am
Andrew Fleming (Manager)	Late Hours Catering Licence	Grant - Tweedbank Service Station, Tweedbank Industrial Estate, Tweedbank, Galashiels General Groceries and Hot and Cold Food / Drinks Monday to Sunday - 11.00pm - 5.00am
Narinder Singh	Late Hours Catering Licence	Renewal - Sanghatpurgate, 70 Overhaugh Street, Galashiels Monday to Wednesday 11.00pm - 1.00am and Thursday to Saturday 11.00pm - 3.00am
Amet Osman	Late Hours Catering Licence	Temporary Material Change - Festive Period 2023/24 - Bodrum Kebab House, 7 Oliver Place, Hawick Sunday 24, Monday 25 December and 1st January - 11.00pm to 1.00am; Tuesday 26 and Sunday 31 December 2023 - 11.00pm to 3.00am
St Boswells Village Week Committee	Marches and Parades	Wobbly Bridge Trail Race - St Boswells Sunday 10 December 2023 10.30am
The Rotary Club Of Melrose	Marches and Parades	Xmas Parade, Carol Service and Santa's Grotto - Melrose Saturday 9 December 2023 - 5.30pm
The Rotary Club Of Melrose	Marches and Parades	Santa's Sleigh Touring Streets - Melrose Monday 18 December 2023 and Tuesday 19 December 2023 - 5.30pm
Hawick Community Council	Marches and Parades	Hawick Christmas Lights Switch On Saturday, 9 December 2023 - 11.00am - 4.00pm
Earlston 2000 Lighting	Marches and Parades	Earlston Sunday 10 December 2023 - 5.15pm

Hawick Community Council	Market Operator	Temporary - Hawick Christmas Lights Switch On Saturday, 9th December 2023 - 11.00am - 4.00pm
Kingsland Primary School	Market Operator	Temporary - Kingsland Primary School - Christmas Fayre Thursday 7 December 2023 5.30pm - 8.00pm
Cecilia Benson	Market Operator	Temporary - Christmas Fair Saturday 16 December 2023 10.00am - 5.00pm
Hutchison Haulage Limited	Metal Dealers Licence	Renewal - Hutchison Haulage Ltd, Station Road Ind Est, Duns Monday to Friday - 8.00am - 5.00pm Ferrous, Non Ferrous
Borders Water Rescue Team	Public Charitable	Street Collection - Kelso, Ancrum, Duns, Morebattle and Yetholm 5 to 22 December 2023
Hawick Community Council	Public Charitable	Street Collection - Hawick Saturday 9 December 2023
Lauder Larder	Public Charitable	House to House and Street Collections - Lauder Week Commencing 18 December 2023
Flat Cat Gallery Limited	Public Entertainment	Temporary - Live Music by James Kirby - Flat Cat Gallery Thursday 7 December 2023 7.00pm - 10.00pm
Just Add Tonic Events Ltd	Public Entertainment	Temporary - Kelso Racecourse - After Party - Live Band Friday 29 December 2023 4.30pm - 11.00pm
Darryl Duncan	Private Hire Driver	Grant - SB/PD036
Alanya Robinson	Private Hire Driver	Grant - SB/PD037
Kaye Niven	Private Hire Vehicle	Grant - 2/PV12 - Black Nissan Micra SK70 EEV - 4 Passengers
Eric Robertson	Private Hire Vehicle	Grant - 1/PV23 - Black Ford Focus BG21 OPV - 4 Passengers
Woods Of Berwick Ltd	Private Hire Vehicle	Substitution - 1/PV35 - White Renault Traffic EU09 GCO - 8 Passengers
Graeme Geddes	Private Hire Vehicle	Substitution - 1/PV54 - Silver Skoda Kodiaq KV17 VYH - 6 Passengers
Frank Cormack	Skin Piercing/Tattoo	Renewal - The Rookery Tattoo Studio, 11 Market Street, Galashiels Monday to Sunday 9.00am - 10.00pm
Lee-Anne Jones	Skin Piercing/Tattoo	Renewal - Lee-Anne Tattooing - 2 Waterside Cottages, Edington Mill, Duns Monday to Saturday 9.00am - 6.00pm
Carol Hallows	01 Home sharing	Grant - Coldingham Law Farm Cottage, Eyemouth Road, Coldingham, TD14 5PY
Elaine Hogarth	01 Home sharing	Grant - Old Howford Bothy, Innerleithen, EH44 6PS
Marion Knecht	04 Secondary letting	Grant - 2 Abbey Mill Park, Melrose, TD6 9RU
Kathleen Redden	04 Secondary letting	Grant - 7 Bogan , Coldingham, TD14 5ND

Hugh Smith	04 Secondary letting	Grant - Darnlee, Abbotsford Road, Darnick,TD6 9AB
Catherine Booker	04 Secondary letting	Grant - Harbourside Apartment, Flat 3, Collinville, Harbour Road, TD14 5HT
Susan Allan	04 Secondary letting	Grant - 1A Allan Ramsey Apartments, Alan Ramsay Square, Carlops, EH26 9NF
Peter Weanie	04 Secondary letting	Grant - St Ebba Cottage, 10 Briery Dean, St Abbs, TD14 5PQ
Stephen Austin	04 Secondary letting	Grant - 4 Swan Apartments, High Street, Earlston, TD4 6DE
Elizabeth Ventre	04 Secondary letting	Grant - 3 Hoebridge Stables Cottage, Gattonside, TD6 9LZ
Mark Sydenham	04 Secondary letting	Grant - Coach House, Larriston, Newcastelton, TD9 OSL
Patricia Hogg	04 Secondary letting	Grant - Orchard Cottage, Fisher's Lane, Darnick, Melrose, TD6 9AS
Hayley Hunter	04 Secondary letting	Grant - The Trail House, 4 Eshiels Steading, Peebles, EH45 8NA
RT Property Limited	04 Secondary letting	Grant - 45a Woodmarket,Kelso, TD5 7AT
Milne Graden Limited	04 Secondary letting	Grant - Garden House, Milne Graden, Coldstream, TD12 4HE
Milne Graden Limited	04 Secondary letting	Grant - North Lodge, Milne Graden, Coldstream, TD12 4HE
Milne Graden Limited	04 Secondary letting	Grant - Parkend, Milne Graden, Coldstream, TD12 4HE
Milne Graden Limited	04 Secondary letting	Grant - Swan's Nest, Milne Graden, Coldstream, TD12 4HE
Milne Graden Limited	04 Secondary letting	Grant - West Lodge, Milne Graden Coldstream, TD12 4HE
Milne Graden Limited	04 Secondary letting	Grant - Hamilton House, Milne Graden, Coldstream, TD12 4HE
Milne Graden Limited	04 Secondary letting	Grant - The School House, Milne Graden, Coldstream, TD12 4HE
Milne Graden Limited	04 Secondary letting	Grant - Tweedside Cottage, Milne Graden, Coldstream, TD12 4HE
Artur Bakowski	Taxi Driver Licence	Grant - SB/TD208
Richard Christie	Taxi Driver Licence	Grant - SB/TD227
Karen Jefferies	Taxi Driver Licence	Grant - SB/TD232
Graeme Geddes	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD011
Mohammed Miah	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD012
Bernhard Trace	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD187
James McKenzie	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD209
Keith Muckersie	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD214
Andrew Marshall	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD215
James McInulty	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD216
Brian Lyle	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD217
Neil MacAskill	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD218
Jakub Kuchciak	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD219
John Edey	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD220
David Bennett	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD221
Farrukh Sair	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD222

Paul Gillie	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD223
Robert Malcolm	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD224
Robert Rowley	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD225
Steven McCudden	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD226
Annmarie Thomson	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD228
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Agnieszka Kubicka	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD229
William Graham	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD230
Mandeep Singh	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD231
Emma Bodilly	Taxi Driver Licence	Renewal - SB/TD233
Leijo Koola	Taxi Vehicle Licence	Grant - 2/TV45 - Red Toyota Corolla FE69 LGG - 4 Passengers
Robert Scott	Taxi Vehicle Licence	Grant - 3/TV21 & 1/TV21 - Grey Ford Galaxy GN18 XZS - 6 Passengers
Shirley Purves	Taxi Vehicle Licence	Renewal - 2/TV2 - Black Skoda Superb W40 DRP - 4 Passengers
Steven McCudden	Taxi Vehicle Licence	Renewal - 2/TV8 - Grey Volkswagen Touran SB18 VOM - 6 Passengers
M Arham Ltd	Taxi Vehicle Licence	Material Change (Transfer of Ownership) - 2/TV56 - Grey Citroen Space Tourer PX17 LMY - 8 Passengers

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