

SCOTTISH BORDERS COUNCIL
CIVIC GOVERNMENT LICENSING COMMITTEE

MINUTE of Meeting of the CIVIC
GOVERNMENT LICENSING COMMITTEE
held in COMMITTEE ROOMS 2 AND 3,
COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS, NEWTOWN
ST BOSWELLS on Friday, 21 October 2016
at 12.35 p.m.

Present:- Councillors W. Archibald (Chairman), J. Campbell, J. Greenwell, B. Herd, G. Logan, D. Paterson, R. Stewart, T. Weatherston, B. White.
Apologies:- Councillors R. Stewart, J. Torrance.
In Attendance:- Managing Solicitor – Property and Licensing, Licensing Officer (Alan Niven), Licensing Standards and Enforcement Officer (Mr M. Wynne), Democratic Services Officer (F Henderson), Inspector J. Scott, P.C C. Lackenby - Police Scotland.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

The Chairman varied the order of business as shown on the agenda and the Minute reflects the order in which the items were considered at the meeting.

1. **MINUTE**

The Minute of the Meeting of 23 September 2016 had been circulated.

DECISION

APPROVED and signed by the Chairman.

2. **LICENCES ISSUED UNDER DELEGATED POWERS**

There had been circulated copies of lists detailing the Civic Government and Miscellaneous Licences issued under delegated powers between 15 September 2016 and 11 October 2016.

DECISION

NOTED.

3. **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 they involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 12 of part 1 of Schedule 7A to the Act.

SUMMARY OF PRIVATE BUSINESS

1. **GRANT OF TAXI DRIVER LICENCE – ROBERT BOURHILL**

The Committee considered an application from Robert Bourhill for the grant of a Taxi Driver Licence and agreed that the application be refused.

RENEWAL OF TAXI DRIVER LICENCE – COLIN MCLAREN

2. With reference to paragraphs 8 and 9 of the Private Minute of 23 September 2016, the Committee considered an application for the renewal of a Taxi Driver Licence and agreed that as Mr McLaren was not present the matter be continued on the basis as determined at the meeting on 23 September 2016.

3. **GRANT OF TAXI DRIVER LICENCE – KRISTIAN DOBSON**

With reference to paragraph 1 of the Private Minute of 23 September, the Committee considered an application from Kristian Dobson for the grant of a Taxi Driver Licence, as Mr Dobson was not present, the Committee agreed that the application be withdrawn.

4. **GRANT OF TAXI DRIVER LICENCE – CRAIG GILLIES**

In the absence of Craig Gillies, the Committee agreed to continue consideration of the application to the next meeting.

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5. The Private section of the Minute of 23 September 2016 was approved.

The meeting concluded at 1.05 p.m.