

# SCOTTISH BORDERS COUNCIL CIVIC GOVERNMENT LICENSING COMMITTEE

MINUTES of Meeting of the CIVIC  
GOVERNMENT LICENSING COMMITTEE  
held via Microsoft Teams on Monday, 29  
March 2022 at 11.00 a.m.

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- Present:- Councillors J. Brown, D. Paterson, N. Richards, S. Scott, R. Tatler,  
E. Thornton-Nicol, G. Turnbull and T. Weatherston.
- Apologies:- Councillor J. Greenwell.
- In Attendance:- Managing Solicitor (Property and Licensing), Licensing Standards and  
Enforcement Officers (M. Wynne, J. Scott and H. Wood), Inspector J.  
McGuigan, Democratic Services Officers (F. Henderson)
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## **APPOINTMENT OF CONVENER**

The Managing Solicitor welcomed everyone to the meeting of the Scottish Borders Licensing Board. In the absence of Councillor Greenwell, Councillor Richards proposed that Councillor Weatherston be appointed as Convener for the meeting. This was seconded by Councillor Turnbull and unanimously agreed.

## **DECISION**

**AGREED that Councillor Weatherston be appointed Convener for this meeting.**

### 1. **MINUTE**

The minute of the meeting held on Friday, 17 December 2021 had been circulated.

## **DECISION**

**APPROVED and signed by the Chairman.**

### 2. **LICENCES ISSUED UNDER DELEGATED POWERS**

For Members' information there had been circulated copies of lists of licences dealt with under delegated powers for the periods 7 December 2021 – 15 February 2022.

## **DECISION**

**NOTE.**

## **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 14 of part 1 of Schedule 7A to the Act.**

## **SUMMARY OF PRIVATE BUSINESS**

3. **IMMEDIATE SUSPENSION OF TAXI DRIVERS LICENCE**

The Committee agreed to immediately suspend the taxi drivers licence of the holder until the next meeting of the Committee on 22 April 2022 following its consideration of the request received from Police Scotland.

4. **MINUTE**

The private section of the minute of the meeting held on Friday, 17 December 2021.