

## LICENSING URGENT BUSINESS SUB COMMITTEE

ABERDEEN, 13 December 2017. Minute of meeting of the LICENSING URGENT BUSINESS SUB COMMITTEE. Present: Councillor Reynolds, Convener; and Councillors Allard, Delaney, Donnelly, the Depute Provost and Townson.

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### DETERMINATION OF URGENT BUSINESS

1. In terms of Standing Order 33.3, and in accordance with Section 50(B)(4)(b) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, the Sub Committee was informed that the Convener had determined: (1) that the items on the agenda were of an urgent nature to enable the applications to be determined in a timely manner; and (2) that the Sub Committee required to consider the items and take a decision thereon.

#### **The Sub Committee resolved:-**

to agree with the Convener that the items on today's agenda were of an urgent nature and required to be considered this day.

### CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

The press and public were excluded from the meeting for consideration of the following items which contained confidential information in terms of Section 50A 3(b) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973.

### APPLICATION FOR THE RENEWAL OF A TAXI DRIVER'S LICENCE

2. With reference to article 14 of appendix A of the minute of the meeting of the Licensing Committee of 7 November 2017, the Sub Committee had before it an information note prepared by the Head of Legal and Democratic Services in respect of the application which advised that the application had been placed on the agenda as it required to be determined by 13 December 2017.

Mrs May, Legal Advisor, provided the Sub Committee with a verbal update on the application.

The applicant was in attendance and spoke in support of the application.

The Sub Committee asked questions of the applicant.

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**The Sub Committee resolved:-**

- (i) to refuse the application;
- (ii) to agree that should the applicant meet the Group 2 DVLA medical criteria following receipt of a further medical report this would result in a material change of circumstance and therefore a new application could be processed for the applicant; and
- (iii) should the applicant submit a new application, to agree to waive the fee for that single application and the requirement for the applicant to undertake a street knowledge test.

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3. The Sub Committee was advised that the application had been granted under delegated powers.

- **COUNCILLOR JOHN REYNOLDS, Convener**