

## LICENSING URGENT BUSINESS SUB COMMITTEE

ABERDEEN, 30 August 2017. Minute of meeting of the LICENSING URGENT BUSINESS SUB COMMITTEE. Present: Councillor Reynolds, Convener; and Councillors Allard, Donnelly (The Depute Provost), and Nicoll (as a substitute for Councillor Townson).

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### DETERMINATION OF URGENT BUSINESS

1. In terms of Standing Order 28(5)(vi), and in accordance with Section 50(B)(4)(b) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, the Sub Committee was informed that it had to determine: (1) that the item on the agenda was of an urgent nature; and (2) that the Sub Committee required to consider the item and take a decision thereon.

**The Sub Committee resolved:**

to agree that the item was of an urgent nature and required to be considered this day.

### **APPLICATION FOR THE GRANT OF A TAXI DRIVER'S LICENCE – VARINDER SOOD**

#### **Application Reference Number – 2**

2. The Sub Committee had before it an information sheet prepared by the Head of Legal and Democratic Services in respect of the application.

The applicant was represented by Mr Tony Dawson, who was in attendance and spoke in support of the application and requested that if the application was granted, that the applicant be exempt from the requirement to undertake the street knowledge test again and explained the rationale for this.

**The Sub Committee resolved:**

to agree that the applicant be exempt from the street knowledge test requirement on the basis of the mitigating circumstances presented by the applicant's representative and thereby to grant the application.

- **COUNCILLOR JOHN REYNOLDS, Convener**

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