

**LICENSING URGENT BUSINESS SUB COMMITTEE INFORMATION  
SHEET  
30 NOVEMBER 2017**

**TYPE OF APPLICATION:** PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE- RENEWAL

**APPLICANT:** JONEY JOEY THANABALASINGHAM

**LICENCE:** PH182

**INFORMATION NOTE**

**DESCRIPTION**

- The application requires to be determined by 11 December 2017
- The applicant has not yet sat or passed the street knowledge test
- The application was considered at the Licensing Committee meeting on 7 November 2017 at which time the Committee agreed to defer consideration of the application to enable the applicant to undertake the street knowledge test, and to agree that should the applicant pass the street knowledge test, the Head of Legal and Democratic Services could grant the application under delegated powers, or otherwise that the application be referred to the meeting of the Licensing Urgent Business Sub Committee for consideration.

**CONSULTEES**

- Police Scotland- no objection received on 21 June 2017

**OBJECTIONS/REPRESENTATIONS**

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**COMMITTEE GUIDELINES/POLICY**

All applicants must sit and pass the street knowledge test

**GROUND FOR REFUSAL**

A licensing authority shall refuse an application to grant or renew a licence if, in their opinion—

(a) the applicant or, where the applicant is not a natural person, any director of it or partner in it or any other person responsible for its management, is either—

(i) for the time being disqualified from holding a licence, or

(ii) not a fit and proper person to be the holder of the licence;

(b) the activity to which it relates would be managed by or carried on for the benefit of

a person, other than the applicant, who would be refused the grant or renewal of such a licence if he made the application himself;

(c)where the licence applied for relates to an activity consisting of or including the use of premises or a vehicle or vessel, those premises are not or, as the case may be, that vehicle or vessel is not suitable or convenient for the conduct of the activity having regard to—

(i)the location, character or condition of the premises or the character or condition of the vehicle or vessel;

(ii)the nature and extent of the proposed activity;

(iii)the kind of persons likely to be in the premises, vehicle or vessel;

(iv)the possibility of undue public nuisance; or

(v)public order or public safety; or

(d)there is other good reason for refusing the application;

**and otherwise shall grant the application.**