LICENSING COMMITTEE INFORMATION SHEET 15 November 2022

TYPE OF APPLICATION: TAXI VEHICLE LICENCE - RENEWAL APPLICANT: PAUL REYNOLDS - SF60 AZP

INFORMATION NOTE

Application submitted 29/11/2021 Must be determined by 28/11/2022

The applicant has not provided evidence that the vehicle has been inspected and tested as required.

Mr Reynolds emailed on 25/03/2022 to advise that his car had a complete engine failure and that he was renting a car and working through Rainbow Taxis.

The Enforcement Officer advised on 25/03/2022 that in respect of his renewal application the vehicle would require to pass a hackney, or another vehicle be substituted on the licence.

DESCRIPTION

Renewal of Taxi Licence

CONSULTEES

Police Scotland

OBJECTIONS/REPRESENTATIONS

COMMITTEE GUIDELINES/POLICY

All licensed vehicles must have an in date hackney pass certificate or they cannot operate

GROUNDS 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.