

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE  
TAXI AND OTHER LICENSING COMMITTEE  
HELD AT THE TOWN HALL, NELSON  
ON 27<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2015**

PRESENT -

*Councillor N. Butterworth (Chairman – in the chair)*

**Councillors**

*D. Clegg  
T. Cooney (Substitute for J. Cooney)  
M. Iqbal  
J. Purcell (Substitute for C. Jowett)  
K. Shore*

*Officers in attendance*

<i>Howard Culshaw</i>	<i>Solicitor</i>
<i>Neil Watson</i>	<i>Planning and Building Control Manager</i>
<i>Jackie Allen</i>	<i>Taxi Licencing Manager</i>
<i>Sarah Waterworth</i>	<i>Committee Administrator</i>

*(Apologies were received from Councillors J. Cooney, C. Jowett and G. Roach)*

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**12. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS**

Members were reminded of the requirements of the Member Code of Conduct concerning the Declaration of Interests.

**13. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS**

**RESOLVED**

That in pursuance of the power contained in Section 100 (A) (4) of the Local Government Act, 1972, as amended, the public and press be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the next item of business on the grounds that if a member of the public and press were present during consideration of the item, there would be disclosure to them of exempt information relating to the financial or business affairs of a particular person.

**14. INTERVIEWS**

**(1) Report on SMSS**

The Engineering and Special Projects Manager submitted a report in respect of SMSS.

**RESOLVED**

That the application for a private hire driver's licence be granted for a temporary six month period – should no further issues arise the licence will be renewed for a further six month period.

**(2) Report on TA**

The Engineering and Special Projects Manager submitted a report in respect of TA. TA did not attend the interview.

**RESOLVED**

- (1) That TA's application be dealt with in his absence
- (2) That TA's private hire and hackney carriage driver's licence be revoked due to the convictions recorded against him.

**(3) Report on MSK**

The Engineering and Special Projects Manager submitted a report in respect of MSK. MSK holds an operator's licence the report details information regarding MK who works for MSK.

**RESOLVED**

That following the outcome of an appeal a condition be put on MSK's operator's licence stating that MK is not at any time allowed inside the office.

**(4) Report on AI**

The Engineering and Special Projects Manager submitted a report in respect of AI.

**RESOLVED**

That AI's private hire driver's licence be granted and in accordance with Section 512 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act a condition be attached to AI's licence that a medical certificate is required every year, on renewal of his licence, for the next 3 years due medical issues raised by AI's GP.

**(5) Report on MA**

The Engineering and Special Projects Manager submitted a report in respect of MA

**RESOLVED**

That MA be awarded 6 penalty points and be ordered to attend a driver awareness course.

**(6) Report of AA**

The Engineering and Special Projects Manager submitted a report in respect of AA.

**RESOLVED**

That 12 points be issued to AA operator's licence and that he be requested to attend the meeting of this committee in June 2015.

Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_