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Taxi Licensing Sub Committee

Monday, 23 January 2023 10.00 a.m.
Boardroom - Municipal Building, Widnes

S. Young

Chief Executive

COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

Councillor Pamela Wallace (Chair)
Councillor Gareth Stockton
Councillor Eddie Dourley

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The next meeting of the Committee is on Monday, 30 January 2023*

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IN THE PRESENCE OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

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In this case the Committee has a discretion to exclude the press and public and, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted, it is **RECOMMENDED** that under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, having been satisfied that in all the circumstances of the case the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act.

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TAXI LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE

*At a meeting of the Taxi Licensing Sub Committee Monday, 22 August 2022 Boardroom
- Municipal Building, Widnes*

Present: Councillors Wallace (Chair), Fry and Loftus

Apologies for Absence: None

Absence declared on Council business: None

Officers present: K. Hesketh and L. Wilson-Lagan

Also in attendance: None

**ITEM DEALT WITH
UNDER DUTIES
EXERCISABLE BY THE BOARD**

Action

TLF1 MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on the 22 June 2022 having been circulated will be signed as a correct record.

TLF2 SCHEDULE 12A OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 AND THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT 1985

The Committee considered:

- (1) Whether Members of the press and public should be excluded from the meeting of the Board during consideration of the following items of business in accordance with Sub-Section 4 of Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972 because it was likely that, in view of the nature of the business to be considered, exempt information would be disclosed, being information defined in Section 100 (1) and paragraph 3 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972; and
- (2) Whether the disclosure of information was in the public interest, whether any relevant exemptions were applicable and whether, when applying the

public interest test and exemptions, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed that in disclosing the information.

RESOLVED: That as, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed that in disclosing the information, members of the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items of business in accordance with Section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972 because it was likely that, in view of the nature of the business, exempt information would be disclosed, being information defined in Section 100 (1) and paragraph 3 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

TLF3 TAXI MATTER

Case:

RESOLVED: That the application for a Restricted Private Hire Drivers Licence to be refused.

Meeting ended at 11.57 a.m.

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of the Local Government Act 1972.

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