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## Taxi Licensing Sub Committee

Thursday, 18 July 2024 3.15 p.m.  
The Board Room - Municipal Building,  
Widnes

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**Chief Executive**

### **COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP**

Councillor Pamela Wallace (Chair)  
Councillor John Abbott  
Councillor Mike Fry

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*The next meeting of the Committee is to be confirmed.*

**ITEMS TO BE DEALT WITH  
IN THE PRESENCE OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

**Part I**

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**PART II**

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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Members are reminded of their responsibility to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interest or Other Disclosable Interest which they have in any item of business on the agenda, no later than when that item is reached or as soon as the interest becomes apparent and, with Disclosable Pecuniary interests, to leave the meeting during any discussion or voting on the item.

**TAXI LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE**

*At a meeting of the Taxi Licensing Sub Committee on Wednesday, 3 July 2024 in the Civic Suite, Town Hall, Runcorn*

Present: Councillors Wallace (Chair), Abbott and A. McInerney

Apologies for Absence: Councillor K. Loftus

Absence declared on Council business: None

Officers present: None

Also in attendance: K. Hesketh, W. Pringle and A. Strickland

**ITEMS DEALT WITH  
UNDER DUTIES  
EXERCISABLE BY THE COMMITTEE**

**TLSC36 MINUTES FROM THE LAST MEETING**

The minutes of the meeting held on the 7 June 2024 having been circulated were signed as a correct record.

**TLSC37 SCHEDULE 12A OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 AND THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT 1985**

The Board 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

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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 the public interest in disclosing the information, members of the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following item 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, exempt information would be disclosed, being information defined in Section 100 (1) and paragraph 3 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

TLSC38 TAXI LICENSING MATTER

Case 778

RESOLVED: That the application to review a Single Status Driver's Licence to be revoked.

*Meeting ended at 6.15 p.m.*

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of the Local Government Act 1972.

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