TAXI LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE

At a meeting of the Taxi Licensing Sub Committee on Tuesday, 6 August 2024 in the The Board Room - Municipal Building, Widnes

Present: Councillors Wallace (Chair), Abbott and Stockton

Apologies for Absence: None

Absence declared on Council business: None

Officers present: K. Hesketh and A. Strickland

Also in attendance: None

ITEMS DEALT WITH UNDER DUTIES EXERCISABLE BY THE COMMITTEE

Action

EXB14 MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 18 July 2024 having been circulated were signed as a correct record.

EXB15 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 item of business in accordance with subsection 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 the public interest 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 subsection 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.

EXB16 TAXI LICENSING MATTER

Case 780

RESOLVED: That the Single Status Driver's Licence be revoked with immediate effect.

Meeting ended at 7.02 p.m.