



**Committee:** LICENSING REGULATORY COMMITTEE

**Date:** THURSDAY, 8 JANUARY 2015

**Venue:** MORECAMBE TOWN HALL

**Time:** 1.00 P.M.

## **A G E N D A**

1. **Apologies for Absence**

2. **Minutes**

Minutes of the meeting held on 13 November 2014 (previously circulated).

3. **Items of Urgent Business authorised by the Chairman**

4. **Declarations of Interest**

To receive declarations by Members of interests in respect of items on this Agenda.

Members are reminded that, in accordance with the Localism Act 2011, they are required to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests which have not already been declared in the Council's Register of Interests. (It is a criminal offence not to declare a disclosable pecuniary interest either in the Register or at the meeting.)

Whilst not a legal requirement, in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10 and in the interests of clarity and transparency, Members should declare any disclosable pecuniary interests, which they have already declared in the Register, at this point in the meeting.

In accordance with Part B, Section 2 of the Code of Conduct, Members are required to declare the existence and nature of any other interests as defined in paragraphs 8(1) or 9(2) of the Code of Conduct.

### **Matters for Decision**

#### **Exclusion of the Press and Public**

5. **Exempt Items**

The Committee is recommended to pass the following recommendations in relation to the following items:

"That, in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business, on the grounds that they could involve the possible disclosure of exempt information, as defined in paragraph 1 of Schedule 12A of that Act."

Members are reminded that, whilst the following items have been marked as exempt, it is for Committee itself to decide whether or not to consider each of them in private or in public. In making the decision, Members should consider the relevant paragraph of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, and also whether the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information. In considering their discretion Members should also be mindful of the advice of Council Officers.

6. **Existing Private Hire Driver's Licence - Allan Frank Stocks** (Pages 1 - 10)

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7. **Application for a Private Hire and Hackney Carriage Dual Driver's Licence - Daniel Kitson** (Pages 11 - 37)

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8. **Confidential Item**

The following report is not for publication because it contains confidential information relating to cautions/convictions and will be considered whilst the public are excluded from the meeting. The applicant has been invited to attend and/or be represented at the meeting, but will be asked to leave whilst the Committee makes the decision, as exempt legal advice may be given.

Members are advised that, in accordance with Section 100A(2) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended), the press and public should be excluded for the following item of business on the ground that it could include the possible disclosure of confidential information.

9. **Application for a Private Hire and Hackney Carriage Dual Driver's Licence - Kieran Andrew Smith** (Pages 38 - 43)

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**Public Items**

The press and public will be readmitted to the meeting at this point.

10. **Review of Hackney Carriage Stands - Morecambe** (Pages 44 - 55)

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11. **Review of Recent Court Cases** (Pages 56 - 57)

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**ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS**

**(i) Membership**

Councillors Margaret Pattison (Chairman), Mike Greenall (Vice-Chairman), Roger Dennison, Jonathan Dixon, Tim Hamilton-Cox, John Harrison, Tony Johnson, Roger Mace and Robert Redfern

**(ii) Substitute Membership**

Councillors Tony Anderson, June Ashworth, Chris Coates, Sheila Denwood,  
Joan Jackson, Terrie Metcalfe and Susan Sykes

**(iii) Queries regarding this Agenda**

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**(iv) Changes to Membership, substitutions or apologies**

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