



## **REGISTRATION AND LICENSING COMMITTEE**

**10.00 AM - MONDAY, 27 NOVEMBER 2023**

**MULTI LOCATION MICROSOFT TEAMS/COUNCIL CHAMBER**

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1. Chairpersons Announcements
2. Declarations of Interest
3. Minutes of the Previous Meeting (*Pages 3 - 4*)
4. Urgent Items  
Any urgent items at the discretion of the Chairperson pursuant to Section 100BA(6)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).
5. Access to Meetings  
That pursuant to Section 100BA (2) and (7) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded for the following items of business which involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 12 and 15 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the above Act.

### **Private Report of the Head of Legal Services**

6. Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver Licensing - Case 1  
(*Pages 5 - 18*)
7. Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver Licensing - Case 2  
(*Pages 19 - 22*)

**K.Jones**  
**Chief Executive**

**Civic Centre**  
**Port Talbot**

**Tuesday, 21 November 2023**

**Committee Membership:**

**Chairperson: Councillor A.J.Richards**

**Vice  
Chairperson: Councillor J.Henton**

**Members:** Councillors S.Paddison, D.Whitelock,  
W.Carpenter, A.Dacey, H.Davies, D.Lewis,  
A.Lodwig, S.Renkes, L.Williams, R.G.Jones,  
D.M.Peters, R.W.Wood and A.R.Aubrey

**c.c.** Superintendent of Police, Neath  
Chief Fire Officer, Neath

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(Multi Location Microsoft Teams/Council Chamber)

**Members Present:**

**30 October 2023**

**Chairperson:** Councillor A.J.Richards

**Vice Chairperson:** Councillor J. Henton

**Councillors:** S.Paddison, W.Carpenter, A.Dacey, H.Davies, A.Lodwig, S.Renkes, L.Williams, R.G.Jones, D.M.Peters, R.W.Wood and A.R.Aubrey

**Officers in Attendance:** P.Malough and M.Shaw, L. Thomas and J.Woodman-Ralph

**Representing SW Police:** N.Bailey

1. **Chairpersons Announcements**

Councillor A. J. Richards welcomed all to the meeting.

2. **Declarations of Interest**

No declarations of interest were received.

3. **Minutes of the Previous Meeting**

The minutes of the previous meeting, held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of October 2023, were approved as a true and accurate account.

4. **Urgent Items**

There were no urgent items.

5. **Access to Meetings**

**Resolved:**

That pursuant to Section 100BA (2) and (7) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded for the following items of business

which involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 12 and 15 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the above Act.

6. **Case 1: Hackney Carriage and Private Driver Hire Licence**

The Licensing Manager provided the Committee with an overview of the private circulated report.

The applicant was not in attendance.

**Decision:**

Members determined that the applicant was not deemed a fit a proper person and that the convictions did not comply with the Councils Taxi Policy. The application was therefore ***REFUSED***.

By virtue of paragraph(s) 12 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A  
of the Local Government Act 1972.

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