



RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNCIL LICENSING COMMITTEE

Minutes of the virtual meeting of the Licensing Committee held on Tuesday, 23 March 2021
at 5.00 pm.

County Borough Councillors - Licensing Committee Members in attendance:-

Councillor A Fox (Chair)

Councillor D Williams	Councillor S Bradwick
Councillor S Powderhill	Councillor T Williams
Councillor W Lewis	Councillor P Howe
Councillor L Jones	Councillor L Hooper
Councillor A Cox	

Officers in attendance:-

Ms L Davies, Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services
Mr P Nicholls, Service Director, Legal Services
Ms R Hope, Temporary Head of Public Protection and Regulatory Services
Mr M Owen, Assistant Licensing Manager
Mr N Evans, Licensing Enforcement Officer

Others in Attendance

Police Constable J Roberts – South Wales Police

17 Apology

An apology for absence was received from County Borough Councillor S Morgans.

18 Declaration of Interest

In accordance with the Council's Code of Conduct, there were no declarations made pertaining to the agenda.

19 Human Rights Act and Crime and Disorder Act

It was **RESOLVED** to note that when Members determine the licensing and registration matters before them, they have a duty not to act in a manner that is incompatible with the convention on Human Rights and the Crime and Disorder Act.

20 Minutes

It was **RESOLVED** to approve the minutes of the 2nd February 2021 as an accurate reflection of the meeting.

21 To consider the Licences & Registrations issued under the provision of Delegated Powers for the period: 18.01.21 - 07.03.21

The Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services presented Members with details of licences and registrations issued during the period 18th January 2021 to 7th March 2021.

It was **RESOLVED** to acknowledge the update.

22 To consider passing the following Resolution:

It was **RESOLVED** that the press and public be excluded from the meeting under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 13 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

23 To consider the following Applications for Licensing and/or Registration:

The Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services set out details of the following application for the grant of a Joint Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver Licence.

In accordance with adopted procedures, Members received Mr AK whose application for the grant of a Joint Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Driver Licence was before Committee.

Following consideration of the report and the evidence before them, the Committee **RESOLVED** to grant the application subject to the usual standard terms and conditions.

24 Enforcement Summary (Including Appeal/Prosecution Data) for the period: 26.01.21 - 11.03.21

The Director, Public Health, Protection & Community Services, provided Members with the report outlining the most recent enforcement activity, including any prosecution and appeal updates for the period 26th January 2021 to the 11th March 2021.

Following consideration of the report it was **RESOLVED** to acknowledge the update.

25 Summary of Licences issued under provision of Delegated Authority for the period: 18.01.21 - 07.03.21

The Director, Public Health, Protection & Community Services provided Members with the report outlining the Licences and/or Registrations issued under provisions of Delegated Authority for the period 18th January 2021 to 7th March 2021.

The Committee **RESOLVED** to acknowledge the update

