

Taxi Licensing Committee

Thursday 11 January 2024

PRESENT:

Councillor Tippetts, in the Chair.
Councillor Tuffin, Vice Chair.
Councillors Moore, Rennie and Tofan.

Apologies for absence: Councillors Dr Cree and Finn.

Also in attendance: Ian Wills (Senior Lawyer), Steve Forshaw (Senior Enforcement Officer), Rosie Brookshaw-Williams (Democratic Advisor) and Hannah Whiting (Democratic Advisor (Observing)).

The meeting started at 10.02 am and finished at 11.19 am.

Note: At a future meeting, the committee will consider the accuracy of these draft minutes, so they may be subject to change. Please check the minutes of that meeting to confirm whether these minutes have been amended.

72. **Declarations of Interest**

No declarations of interest were made.

73. **Minutes**

The Committee agreed the minutes held on 12 December 2023 as a correct record.

74. **Chair's Urgent Business**

There were no items of Chair's urgent business.

75. **Appeal Cases**

There had been one appeal case since the last Committee meeting. The appeal had been lost by Plymouth City Council.

76. **Exempt Information**

The Committee agreed to pass a resolution under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 to exclude the press and the public from the meeting for the following items of business, on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information, as defined in paragraph 1/2/3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act, as amended by the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

77. **Appeal Cases**

(Please note there is a confidential part to this minute).

78. **Confidential Minutes**

The Committee agreed the confidential minutes of the meeting held on 12 December 2023 as a correct record.

79. **Review Status of a Private Hire Vehicle Driver Licence**

This item was removed from the agenda.

80. **Number of Certificates of Good Conduct Exemptions Granted**

(The Committee agreed to re-enter into a Part I meeting).

There were two Certificates of Good Conduct Exemptions granted.