

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE A HELD IN COMMITTEE ROOMS 2/3, CIVIC OFFICES ANGEL STREET BRIDGEND CF31 4WB ON TUESDAY, 10 MAY 2016 AT 10.00 AM

Present

Councillor R Williams – Chairperson

P James

RM James

JE Lewis

HE Morgan

Officers:

Yvonne Witchell Team Manager, Licensing
Katie Brook Senior Licensing Assistant
Andrea Lee Legal Officer
Sarah Daniel Democratic Services Officer - Committees

100. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from the following Members

Councillor E Venables
Councillor R Jenkins

101. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None

102. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

RESOLVED: That the minutes of meetings of the Licensing Sub Committee held on 15 March 2016, 17 March 2016 and 12 April 2016 were approved as a true and accurate record of the meetings.

103. APPLICATION TO LICENCE PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE

The Team Manager Licensing submitted a report regarding an application by Mr William Crole to licence a Vauxhall Insignia CFI Ecoflex 2.0L Diesel 5 door hatchback vehicle registration number DS14 VML as a private hire vehicle to seat 4 persons. The vehicle was preowned and was first registered at the DVLA on 31 May 2014

The application fell outside the Private Hire Vehicle Policy approved by the Licensing Committee. Upon inspection of the vehicle the mileage was confirmed at 32,566 miles.

The applicant confirmed that if approved he intended to use the vehicle under an umbrella company for executive travel

RESOLVED: The Sub-Committee considered the application and inspected the vehicle. The Sub-Committee considered the Councils policy on private hire vehicles and decided to grant on the basis that the vehicle is in exceptional condition

104. URGENT ITEMS

None

105. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

RESOLVED: That under Section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972 as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) (Wales) Order 2007, the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items of business as they contain exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 12 of Part 4 and Paragraph 21 of Part 5 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

Following the application of the public interest test it was resolved that pursuant to the Act referred to above to consider the following items in private, with the public excluded from the meeting, as it was considered that in all the circumstances relating to the items, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information, because the information would be prejudicial to the applicants.

106. APPROVAL OF EXEMPT MINUTES

107. APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LICENCE

108. APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF NEW LICENCE

The meeting closed at 11.25 am