



RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNCIL

Minutes of the virtual meeting of the Licensing Committee held on Tuesday, 18 July 2023
at 5.00 pm.

This meeting was live streamed, details of which can be accessed [here](#)

County Borough Councillors

Councillor A Fox (Chair)

Councillor G Stacey Councillor S Bradwick
Councillor L Ellis Councillor K Johnson
Councillor S Powderhill Councillor A O Rogers
Councillor T Williams

Officers in attendance

Ms R Hope, Head of Service for Public Protection and Regulatory Services
Mr P Nicholls, Service Director, Legal Services
Ms K Trilloe, Health Protection and Licensing Manager
Mr O Williams, Senior Solicitor - Litigation

11 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

An apology for absence was received from County Borough Councillors G. Holmes and J. Turner.

12 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

RESOLVED – In accordance with the Members Code of Conduct, the following declaration of personal interests in a matter pertaining to the agenda was declared:-

County Borough Councillor S. Bradwick in respect of agenda item 4, item 6 and item 7, “Some of the Applicants are known to me”.

13 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.

14 MINUTES

It was **RESOLVED** to approve the minutes of the 6th June 2023 as an accurate reflection of the meeting.

15 TO CONSIDER THE LICENCES & REGISTRATIONS ISSUED UNDER THE PROVISION OF DELEGATED POWERS FOR THE PERIOD: 22.05.23 - 09.07.23

The Head of Service for Public Protection and Regulatory Services presented Members with details of licences and registrations issued during the period 22nd May 2023 to 9th July 2023.

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

16 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.

17 ENFORCEMENT SUMMARY (INCLUDING APPEAL/PROSECUTION DATA) FOR THE PERIOD: 22.05.23 - 09.07.23

The Head of Service for Public Protection and Regulatory Services provided Members with the report outlining the most recent enforcement activity, including any prosecution and appeals updates for the period 22nd May 2023 to 9th July 2023.

The Committee **RESOLVED** to acknowledge the update.

18 SUMMARY OF LICENCES ISSUED UNDER PROVISION OF DELEGATED AUTHORITY FOR THE PERIOD: 22.05.23 - 09.07.23

The Head of Service for Public Protection and Regulatory Services provided Members with the report outlining the Licences and/or Registrations issued under provisions of Delegated Authority for the period 22nd May 2023 to 9th July 2023.

The Committee **RESOLVED** to acknowledge the update.

19 URGENT BUSINESS

Members raised concerns regarding the number of Private Hire Taxi Licenses that are being submitted to Wolverhampton Council.

Following conversations, it was **RESOLVED** to discuss this at the next Meeting of the Committee.

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This meeting closed at 5.21 pm

**Councillor A Fox
Chair.**