

WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL

Report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services

Licensing Committee – 5 September 2012

Subject: Application for grant of Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence

1. Purpose

- 1.1** To consider an application for grant of a Taxi /Private Hire Car Driver's Licence submitted by Mr. Stewart Galloway, G/3 5 Dumbarton Road, Bowling, G60 5AG.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1** It is recommended that the application be considered and determined by the Committee.

3. Background

- 3.1** Mr. Galloway submitted an application for grant of a Taxi /Private Hire Car Driver's Licence to the Council on 6 July 2012.
- 3.2** A letter was received from the Chief Superintendent of the Police authority on 25 July 2012 advising that the Chief Constable has a representation to make in relation to the application.

4. Main Issues

- 4.1** In view of the representation that has been received from the Police, the applicant and a representative of the Police authority have been invited to attend the meeting of the Committee to be held on 5 September 2012.
- 4.2** The terms of the letter from the Police will be made known to the Committee at the meeting as appropriate.

5. People Implications

- 5.1** There are no personnel issues.

6. Financial Implications

- 6.1** There are no financial implications

7. Risk Analysis

- 7.1** There is no increased risk to the Council associated with the contents of this report.

8. Equalities, Health & Humans Rights Impact Assessment

- 8.1** No impact assessment is required because this report does not involve any change to policies or services or financial decisions.

9. Strategic Assessment

- 9.1** There are no strategic implications.

Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services

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Appendices: N/A.

Background Papers:

- 1.** Application for grant of Taxi /Private Hire Car Driver's Licence from Mr. Stewart Galloway, G/3 5 Dumbarton Road, Bowling, G60 5AG.
- 2.** Letter dated 23 July 2012 from the Chief Superintendent, Strathclyde Police, 'L' Divisional Headquarters, Stirling Road, Dumbarton.
- 3.** Letter to Mr. Galloway dated 20 August 2012.
- 4.** Letter to the Chief Superintendent dated 20 August 2012.

Wards Affected: N/A.