WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL Council Offices, Garshake Road, Dumbarton G82 3PU

23 August 2012

MEETING: LICENSING COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY, 5 SEPTEMBER 2012 MEETING ROOM 3 COUNCIL OFFICES GARSHAKE ROAD DUMBARTON

Dear Member

Please attend a Meeting of the **Licensing Committee** to be held in Meeting Room 3, Council Offices, Garshake Road, Dumbarton, on **Wednesday 5 September 2012 at 2.00 p.m.**

The business is as shown on the enclosed agenda.

Yours faithfully

JOYCE WHITE

Chief Executive

Distribution:

Councillor Lawrence O'Neill (Chair)
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LICENSING COMMITTEE

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AGENDA

1. **APOLOGIES**

2. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Members are invited to declare if they have an interest in the undernoted item of business on this agenda and, if so, state the reasons for such declarations.

3. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

Submit, for approval as correct records, the undernoted Minutes of Meetings of the Licensing Committee:-

- (a) Ordinary Meeting held on 12 June 2012; and
- (b) Special Meeting held on 15 August 2012.

4. APPLICATIONS FOR GRANT OF TAXI/PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVER'S LICENCE

(a) Name and Address of Applicant

George White 6F Queen Elizabeth Gardens Clydebank G81 3BX

14 June 2012

Date Applied

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services concerning an application for grant of a Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence by the above named person.

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(b) Name and Address of Applicant

Date Applied

20 July 2012

Russell Friel 35 New Cordale Road Renton

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services concerning an application for grant of a Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence by the above named person.

(c) Name and Address of Applicant

G82 4DE

Date Applied

Stewart Galloway 6 July 2012 G/3 5 Dumbarton Road Bowling G60 5AG

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services concerning an application for grant of a Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence by the above named person.

5. APPLICATIONS FOR RENEWAL OF TAXI/PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVER'S LICENCE

(a) Name and Address of Applicant

Date Applied

James Murray 20 April 2012 348 Halley Street Yoker Glasgow

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services concerning an application for renewal of a Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence by the above named person.

(b) Name and Address of Applicant

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Date Applied

John MacDonald 23 June 2012 40 Whitecrook Street Clydebank G81 1QR

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services concerning an application for renewal of a Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence by the above named person.

(c) Name and Address of Applicant

Date Applied

12 June 2012

Kirsty Shaw 4 Hillside Park Hardgate Clydebank G81 6BD

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services concerning an application for renewal of a Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence by the above named person.

(d) Name and Address of Applicant

Date Applied

26 June 2012

Pirvaze Aziz
66 Robert Burns Avenue
Drumry
Clydebank
G81 2EG

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services concerning an application for renewal of a Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence by the above named person.

6. APPLICATIONS FOR GRANT OF TEMPORARY TAXI/PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVER'S LICENCE

Name and Address of Applicant

Date Applied

William Currie 160 Braehead Bonhill Alexandria G83 9ND 8 March 2012

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services concerning an application for grant of a Temporary Taxi/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence by the above named person.

7. HEARING REGARDING POSSIBLE SUSPENSION OF TAXI DRIVER'S/PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVER'S LICENCE

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services requesting consideration of the possible suspension of Taxi Driver/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence held by Mr Mark Harkins.

8. HEARING REGARDING POSSIBLE SUSPENSION OF TAXI DRIVER'S/PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVER'S LICENCE

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services requesting consideration of the possible suspension of Taxi Driver/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence held by Mr Stuart Farmer.

9. APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CARRY OUT AN ACTIVITY

Name and Address of Applicant Date Applied

Mr Gordon McCulloch 80 Glenfruin Road Blantyre G72 9RF 17 July 2012

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services requesting permission to carry out an activity within Sylvania Way South by the above named person.

10. APPLICATIONS FOR GRANT OF WINDOW CLEANER'S LICENCE

(a) Name and Address of Applicant Date Applied

David Henry 15 March 2012

'Rosa' Ferry Loan Alexandria G83 0UW

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services concerning an application for grant of a Window Cleaner's Licence submitted by the above named person.

(b) Name and Address of Applicant Date Applied

James McLaughlin 4D Burnside Street Dumbarton G82 1DS 9 August 2012

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services concerning an application for grant of a Window Cleaner's Licence submitted by the above named person.

11. PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE TAXI TOPOGRAPHICAL TEST FOR TAXI DRIVER/PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVER LICENCE APPLICATIONS

Submit report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services requesting consideration of the possible change to the method of testing potential applicants for a Taxi Driver/Private Hire Car Driver's Licence from a verbal test to a multiple choice written test in order to improve the transparency of the examination.

For information on the above agenda please contact Nuala Borthwick, Committee Officer, Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services, Council Offices, Garshake Road, Dumbarton G82 3PU. Tel: (01389) 737594. E-mail: nuala.borthwick@west-dunbarton.gov.uk