GENERAL PURPOSES BOARD – 14 SEPTEMBER 2011

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Wednesday 14 September 2011 at 3 pm

Present: Councillors Ahlfeld, Brooks, Dorrian, Fyfe, MacLeod, McCallum, McIlwee, Rebecchi and White.

Chair: Councillor White presided.

In attendance: Mr J Douglas (for Head of Legal & Democratic Services) and Inspector Thomson, Strathclyde Police.

The following paragraphs are submitted for information only, having been dealt with under the powers delegated to the Board.

584 Apologies, Substitutions and Declarations of Interest

An apology for absence was intimated on behalf of Councillor Grieve.

There were no declarations of interest intimated to the Board prior to the commencement of the meeting.

It was agreed in terms of Section 50(A)(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 as amended that the public and press be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items on the grounds that the business involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 6 of Part I of Schedule 7(A) of the Act.

585 Application for Taxi Driver's Licence: Anthony Fabiani

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal & Democratic Services on an application for taxi driver's licence by Mr Fabiani following receipt of a police objection. Mr Fabiani was present. The Board heard Inspector Thomson in support of their objection and Mr Fabiani in support of his application. **Decided:** that the application be granted.

586 Application for Taxi Driver's Licence: Thomas Murro

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal & Democratic Services on an application for renewal of taxi driver's licence by Mr Murro following a police representation. Mr Murro was present. The Board heard Inspector Thomson in support of their representation and Mr Murro in support of his application.

Decided: that the application be granted. Strathclyde Police invited to notify the Board of the outcome of a pending case, if they wished to make further representations at a later date.

587 Application for Taxi Driver's Licence: Stuart Wilson

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal & Democratic Services on an application for taxi driver's licence by Mr Wilson following a police representation. Mr

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Wilson was present. The Board heard Inspector Thomson in support of their representation and Mr Wilson in support of his application. **Decided:** that the application be granted.

588 Application for Taxi Driver's Licence: David Miller

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal & Democratic Services on an application for taxi driver's licence by Mr Miller following a police objection. Mr Miller was not present or represented.

Decided: that the application be refused.

589 Application for Taxi Driver's Licence: James Devenny

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal & Democratic Services on an application for renewal of taxi driver's licence by Mr Devenny following receipt of a police representation. Mr Devenny was not present but contacted the licensing office prior to the meeting requesting that his application be continued to a further meeting of the Board. Mr Douglas advised the Board of an outstanding medical issue and requested the Board to consider writing to Mr Devenny to clarify this issue prior to the next meeting. **Decided:** that the Clerk write to Mr Devenny as necessary and to continue the application to a further meeting of the Board.

590 Taxi Driver's Licence: Matthew Smith

There was submitted a report by the Head of Legal & Democratic Services on an application for taxi driver's licence by Mr Smith following receipt of a police objection. Mr Smith was not present or represented.

Decided: that the application be refused.

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