

Minutes of the meeting of the **REGULATORY COMMITTEE** held at the Council Offices, Whitfield on Tuesday, 15 October 2013 at 10.00 am.

Present:

Chairman: Councillor B W Butcher

Councillors: J M Smith
R J Thompson

Also Present: Mr Abdul Hassan Rajabi

Officers: Senior Solicitor
Acting Licensing Team Leader
Licensing Officer
Democratic Support Officer

268 APOLOGIES

There were no apologies for absence received from Members.

269 APPOINTMENT OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

There were no substitute Members appointed.

270 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest from Members.

271 LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT 1976 - APPLICATION TO LICENCE VEHICLE OUTSIDE OF POLICY GUIDELINES - MR ABDUL HASSAN RAJABI

The Licensing Enforcement Officer informed the Committee that Mr Abdul Hassan Rajabi had applied for the grant of a new Private Hire Vehicle licence for a Skoda Octavia GF58 KND.

The vehicle was outside the current policy guidelines by reason that the vehicle had covered 104,136 miles at the time the application was made. The vehicle was under five years of age.

The Committee adjourned to examine the vehicle accompanied by the applicant (Mr Abdul Hassan Rajabi) and officers and upon reconvening it was

RESOLVED: That, notwithstanding the Council's current policy guidelines and as an exception on the grounds of the age, overall condition of the vehicle and its mileage being just outside of policy guidelines, Mr Abdul Hassan Rajabi be GRANTED a Private Hire Vehicle licence in respect of a Skoda Octavia (GF58 KND) for a period of 12 months.

The meeting ended at 10.09 am.