MINUTES of MEETING of PLANNING, PROTECTIVE SERVICES AND LICENSING COMMITTEE held in the COUNCIL CHAMBERS, KILMORY, LOCHGILPHEAD on WEDNESDAY, 20 AUGUST 2014

Present: Councillor David Kinniburgh (Chair)

Councillor Robin Currie
Councillor Robert G MacIntyre
Councillor Donald MacMillan
Councillor Roderick McCuish
Councillor Robert G MacIntyre
Councillor Sandy Taylor
Councillor Richard Trail

Attending: Charles Reppke, Head of Governance and Law

Sheila MacFadyen, Senior Solicitor Kate Connelly, Trainee Solicitor Sergeant McGhee, Police Scotland Constable Brown, Police Scotland

Ms Murray, Police Scotland Mr Chattingham, Licence Holder

Mrs Chattingham, Licence Holder's wife

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were intimated from Councillors Gordon Blair, Rory Colville, Mary-Jean Devon, George Freeman and Alistair MacDougall.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

The Committee resolved in terms of Section 50(A)(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 to exclude the public for the following item of business on the grounds that it was likely to involve the disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 14 of Part 1 of Schedule 7A to the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973.

3. CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982: SUSPENSION HEARING - TAXI DRIVER LICENCE (K CHATTINGTON, DUNOON)

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting and introductions were made. He then outlined the procedure that would be followed and invited the Police to speak in support of the Chief Constable's complaint.

Police

Sergeant McGhee asked that this matter be continued to another day. He explained that the Police had received a communication from the Licence Holder which raised a number of points that needed to be addressed further.

Licence Holder

Mr Chattingham confirmed that he had no objection to this matter being continued.

Decision

Agreed to continue consideration of the suspension of Mr Chattingham's Taxi Driver Licence until further communication was received from Police Scotland.

(Reference: Report by Head of Governance and Law, submitted)