

Minute of Meeting Regulatory Functions Board

Date	Time	Venue
Thursday, 27 June 2019	14:00	Council Chambers (Renfrewshire), Council Headquarters, Renfrewshire House, Cotton Street, Paisley, PA1 1AN

Present

Councillor Eddie Devine, Councillor Audrey Doig, Councillor Lisa-Marie Hughes, Councillor Alistair Mackay, Councillor Cathy McEwan, Councillor John McNaughtan, Councillor Kevin Montgomery, Councillor Andy Steel

Chair

Councillor McNaughtan, Convener, presided.

In Attendance

D Campbell, Assistant Managing Solicitor (Licensing), E Currie, Senior Committee Services Officer, G McIntosh, Civic Government Enforcement Officer and N Barr, Administrative Assistant (all Finance & Resources).

Apologies

Councillors Rodden and Strang.

Declarations of Interest

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

EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

The Board resolved that the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following item of business as it was likely, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted that if members of the press and public were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information as defined in paragraph 3 of part I of schedule 7A of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973.

1 Hearing into Possible Suspension or Revocation of Private Hire Car Driver's Licence - Personal Appearance

The Board considered the possible suspension or revocation of the undernoted Private Hire Car Driver's Licence. The licence holder had been asked to appear personally for the first time together with Police Scotland:-

Matthew Steel P0185

There was no appearance by or on behalf of Mr Steel. Inspector Glass, representing the Chief Constable, was invited into the meeting. The Convener proposed that the hearing be held in Mr Steel's absence and this was agreed unanimously.

After consideration of all matters before the Board, the Convener proposed that Mr Steel's Private Hire Car Driver's Licence be suspended for the unexpired portion of the duration of his licence with immediate effect. This was agreed unanimously.

DECIDED: That Mr Steel's Private Hire Car Driver's Licence be suspended for the unexpired portion of the duration of his licence with immediate effect.