

GENERAL LICENSING COMMITTEE

Minutes of a meeting of the General Licensing Committee of the Bolsover District Council held in the Council Chamber, The Arc, Clowne on Thursday, 13th February 2025 at 10:00 hours.

PRESENT:-

Members:-

Councillor Amanda Davis in the Chair

Councillors David Bennett, Mary Dooley, Jeanne Raspin and Rita Turner.

Officers:- Louise Arnold (Legal Team Manager (Deputy Monitoring Officer)) (from minute no. GLC10-24/25), Samantha Crossland (Licensing & Enforcement Officer) (from minute no. GLC10-24/25), Gill Halliwell (Environmental Health Service Manager (Commercial and Environment)) (from minute no. GLC10-24/25) and Matthew Kerry (Governance and Civic Officer).

GLC6-24/25 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received on behalf of Councillors Anne Clarke, Will Fletcher and Emma Stevenson.

GLC7-24/25 URGENT ITEMS OF BUSINESS

There were no urgent items of business to be considered.

GLC8-24/25 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest made.

GLC9-24/25 MINUTES

Moved by Councillor David Bennett and seconded by Councillor Rita Turner
RESOLVED that the minutes of a General Licensing Committee held on 3rd October 2024 be approved as a correct record.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:02 hours and reconvened at 10:05 hours when the Legal Team Manager, Environmental Health Service Manager and Licensing & Enforcement Officer entered the meeting.

GLC10-24/25 REVIEW OF THE COUNCIL'S TAXI LICENSING FEES UNDER THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT 1976

The Environmental Health Service Manager thanked the Chair and Committee for their attendance and presented the report.

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Members thanked the Environmental Health Service Manager for the report but expressed concern on the increase of fees.

The Committee deferred making a decision until previously requested information was provided.

Moved by Councillor Amanda Davis and seconded by Councillor Mary Dooley
RESOLVED that the Committee defer a decision for more information to be provided.

To a final question on the minutes of the previous meeting, the Legal Team Manager informed a letter to the Derbyshire Police and Crime Commissioner had been sent with the assistance of the Chair of the Licensing Committee and Environmental Health Team Manager (Licensing). A response had been received stating that the police were providing any / all information requested / excepted in a timely manner.

The meeting concluded at 10:26 hours.