

Decision Schedule



Taxi Licensing Panel

TO ALL MEMBERS OF NEWPORT CITY COUNCIL

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The Taxi Licensing Panel took the following decisions on 1st March 2022, which became effective immediately.

Councillors: Kate Thomas (Chair), Farzina Hussain, Janet Cleverly

Part 2

Exempt or Confidential Items

The following items contain confidential or exempt information as defined in Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972. Reports and background papers relating to these decisions are therefore not for publication and are subject to the provisions of the Act as they relate to circulation to the press and public.

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Private Hire / Hackney Carriage Licenses

Decision

Driver AFRAT

The Licensing panel carefully considered the Officer's report and the driver's mitigation and the Licensing Panel felt that this instance had been an oversight on the part of the driver. The Panel concluded that the driver should receive an official warning and must retake the Knowledge Test but were satisfied the driver was a Fit and Proper Person to retain the Private Hire License with Newport City Council.

Driver IHD

The Licensing panel carefully considered the Officer's report and the driver's mitigation to the Licensing Panel. The Licensing Panel felt that given the driver's history and length of service with Newport City Council as a Private Hire License holder, the driver should receive an official warning and must retake the Knowledge Test in a one-to-one setting to take place within 1 month.

Driver AA

The Licensing panel carefully considered the Officer's report and the driver's mitigation to the Licensing Panel. The Licensing Panel agreed that the driver was a Fit and Proper Person to continue driving with a Private Hire Driver's License with Newport City Council but should receive an official warning to reiterate the importance of following the reporting policy, and while would not enforce it, made the recommendation to the driver to have CCTV installed within the taxi.

Consultation

Not applicable.

Implemented by: Head of Law & Regulation

Implementation Timetable: Immediate
