

# Minute

## Licensing Committee

Thursday, 5 December 2024, 10:00.

Council Chamber, Council Offices, School Place, Kirkwall.



## Present

Councillors Duncan A Tullock, Alexander G Cowie, David Dawson, Steven B Heddle, Rachael A King, Gwenda M Shearer and Owen Tierney.

## Clerk

- Katy Russell-Duff, Committees Officer.

## In Attendance

- Karen Bevilacqua, Service Manager (Legal Services).
- Lillian Rendall, Legal Clerk.

## Apology

- Councillor Kristopher D Leask.

## Declarations of Interest

- No declarations of interest were intimated.

## Chair

- Councillor Duncan A Tullock.

## 1. Review of Maximum Fares and Charges for Taxi Services on Mainland Area of Orkney

After consideration of a report by the Corporate Director for Strategy, Performance and Business Solutions, copies of which had been circulated, and after hearing a report from the Service Manager (Legal Services), the Committee:

Resolved, in terms of delegated powers:

**1.1.** That the proposed revised fares and charges for taxi services on the Mainland Area of Orkney, including the linked south isles, as detailed in Appendix 2 to the report by the Corporate Director for Strategy, Performance and Business Solutions, be approved for public consultation.

**1.2.** That the Corporate Director for Strategy, Performance and Business Solutions should submit a report, to the meeting of the Licensing Committee to be held on 13 March 2025, on the outcome of the public consultation, referred to at paragraph 1.1 above, together with proposed scales for the maximum fares and charges for all taxi services within the mainland area of Orkney, including the linked south isles, to be effective from 1 May 2025.

## **2. Conclusion of Meeting**

At 10:05 the Chair declared the meeting concluded.

Signed: Duncan A Tullock.