

Report

Report to:	Licensing Committee
Date of Meeting:	30 January 2008
Report by:	Executive Director (Corporate Resources)

Subject:	Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 Application for Grant of a Private Hire Car Driver's Licence – S O Draz, 127 Arden Craig Drive, Glasgow
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1. Purpose of Report

1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-

- ♦ consider the application by S O Draz, 127 Arden Craig Drive, Glasgow for the new grant of a private hire car driver's licence in the Rutherglen and Cambuslang zone.

2. Recommendation(s)

2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-

- (1) that the application be refused.

3. Background

3.1. Before a person can drive a taxi or private hire car, they require to apply to the Council for the appropriate licence.

3.2. In terms of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982, each application requires to be dealt with on its own merits.

4. Present Position

4.1. Letter of objection received from Strathclyde Police dated 23 October 2007 as detailed in attached schedule.

5. Employee Implications

5.1. None

6. Financial Implications

6.1. None

7. Other Implications

7.1. None

8. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

8.1. There is no requirement to carry out an impact assessment in terms of the proposals contained within this report.

- 8.2. In all cases, when an application under the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 is received it is copied to Strathclyde Police for consultation.

Robert McIlwain
Executive Director (Corporate Resources)

11 January 2008

Link(s) to Council Objectives and Values

- ♦ Objectives:
Improve Community Safety

Previous References

None

List of Background Papers

- ♦ Consultation responses from standard consultees.

Contact for Further Information

If you would like to inspect the background papers or want further information, please contact:-

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LICENSING COMMITTEE – 30 JANUARY 2008

LICENSING OF PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVERS			
<u>Name and Address of Applicant</u>	<u>Area of Trade</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Stewart Omar Draz 127 Ardenraig Drive Glasgow	Rutherglen and Cambuslang zone	<p>New Grant of Private Hire Car Driver's Licence.</p> <p>Objection received from Strathclyde Police:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 14.11.02 - Glasgow District Court – Road Traffic Act – Fine £400 – disqualified for one year – licence endorsed. • 10.02.03 – Glasgow Magistrates Court – Ch1. Road Traffic Act; Ch2. Road Traffic Act, Ch3 Road Traffic Act – Charges 1-3 sentence deferred – Ch1 £75 & Ch2 £125, disqualified 10 months. Charge 3 - £100. Licence endorsed. ▪ 30.09.04 Glasgow Sheriff Court – Assault with an aggravation of Domestic Abuse – Fined £200. <p>Convictions detailed on application and on driving licence:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 14.11.02 – Glasgow District – DR10 - £400 Fine, one year disposal • 10.02.03 – Glasgow District – CD30 - £75 Fine • 10.02.03 – Glasgow District – IN10 - £125 Fine, 10 month disqualified • 10.02.03 – Glasgow District – AC10 - £100 Fine • 06.11.04 – SP30 – 06.11.04 – Fixed Penalty and 3 penalty points <p>Views received from applicant.</p>	Refuse