

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 - K Creaney, 18 Burns Way, Newarthill
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1. Purpose of Report

1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-

- ◆ consider the application by K Creaney, 18 Burns Way, Newarthill, for the new grant of a private hire car driver's licence in the Hamilton 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 operate or 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. Mr Creaney disclosed on his application form convictions as detailed on the attached schedule.
- 4.2. No objections have been received from Strathclyde Police.

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 OF PRIVATE HIRE CAR DRIVERS			
<u>Name and Address of Applicant</u>	<u>Area of Trade</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Kevin Creaney 18 Burns Way Newarthill	Hamilton zone	<p>New Grant of Private Hire Car Driver's Licence</p> <p>Convictions disclosed on application form:-</p> <p>2003 – Hamilton – Cannabis Possession and Breach of the Peace - £1,000 fine</p> <p>1993 – Motherwell – Assault - Fine</p> <p>No Police objections</p> <p>Views received from Applicant</p>	Refuse