

Draft

Minute of special meeting of the Civic Licensing Committee held remotely on  
Wednesday 14 October 2020 at 2.30 p.m.

**Councillors:** David Aitchison  
David Balfour  
Lorna Binnie  
Jim Blackwood  
Jim Flynn  
Gordon Hughes (Convener)  
John Patrick

**Officers:** Bryan Douglas, Licensing Co-ordinator  
Arlene Fraser, Committee Services Officer  
Frances Kobiela, Senior Solicitor

**CL18. Apology**

There were no apologies.

**CL19. Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations.

**CL20. Knowledge Test Failure**

The committee considered a report by the Chief Governance Officer providing details on an application for new taxi driver licence, the knowledge test opportunities, and the options available.

**Decision**

**The committee refused to grant the Taxi Driver licence in terms of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982, Section 13 (5) for Mr Currie on the grounds that he, having failed to pass the knowledge test, had failed to satisfy the Authority that he had adequate knowledge of the area to which the licence relates; the layout of roads in the area and of the Council's licence conditions.**