

The Highland Licensing Committee

Meeting – 17 June 2014

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Report No	HLC/036/14

Applications for the Grant or Renewal of Licences Under the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982

Report by the Legal Manager

Summary

This Report relates to applications which are currently pending for the grant or renewal of licences under the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982.

1.0 Background

1.1 In terms of Section 3(1) of the abovementioned Act all applications require to be determined within 6 months of their application date otherwise the licences will be granted unconditionally for a period of 12 months. Furthermore all applications which have not been dealt with within 3 months must be submitted to the Licensing Committee for consideration.

1.2 The Committee is invited to consider the following applications which are currently pending:-

2.0 Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross Area

	<u>Name of Applicant</u>	<u>Type of Licence</u>	<u>Current Status</u>
2.1	Samuel Lund	Taxi Driver	Applicant to pass knowledge tests
2.2	Jamie Graham	Taxi Driver	Applicant to pass knowledge test
2.3	John Robertson	Taxi Operator – Plate 31080	Out for consultation
2.4	The Stewart Society	Public Entertainment Licence (Temporary) – Ballone Castle, Portmahomack	Awaiting responses from consultees
2.5	Golspie Gala Association	Public Entertainment – Golspie High School Playing Fields and StrathSteven Fields, Brora	Out for consultation

2.6	Mr Ellys Price	Window Cleaner	Out of consultation. Awaiting insurance certificate.
2.7	Heidi Buck	Public Entertainment (Sunbed) – Tanfastic, 4 Ardross Road, Alness	Awaiting equipment service evidence and certificate of compliance
2.8	Steven Brown	Second Hand Motor Vehicle Dealer – ST Motors, 4 Ord Terrace, Invergordon	Awaiting responses from consultees and certificate of compliance

3.0 Inverness, Nairn and Badenoch Area

	Name of Applicant	Type of Licence	Current Status
3.1	Circus Vegas	Public Entertainment Caledonian Stadium, Inverness	Awaiting information and documentation from applicants.
3.2	Proximo Ltd	Taxi Operator	Waiting for vehicle to be presented for inspection.
3.3	Royal British Legion - Inverness Branch	Public Entertainment	Awaiting information and documentation from applicants.
3.4	Extreme Events Europe Ltd	Public Entertainment Caledonian Stadium, Inverness	Awaiting information and documentation from applicants.
3.5	John Toshack	Taxi Operator	Awaiting vehicle inspection
3.6	William Hall	Taxi Driver	Awaiting Consultee reports
3.7	William Hall	Taxi Operator	Awaiting consultee reports
3.8	Sandra Hogg	Public Entertainment Kirkhill Community Centre	Awaiting consultee reports
3.9	MS Therapy Centre	Public Entertainment Charity Event, Clune Farm, Dores, Inverness	Awaiting documentation from applicants.
3.10	Senga Heenan	Skin Piercing and Tattooing Bellezza Salons, Fairways, Inverness	Awaiting consultee reports
3.11	Sharon Main	Skin Piercing and Tattooing 2 Tone Tattoos Ltd, Castle Street, Inverness	Awaiting consultee reports
3.12	Claire's	Skin Piercing & Tatrooing Unit 73, Eastgate Centre, Inverness	Awaiting consultee reports
3.13	Christopher Stewart	Taxi Driver	Applicant to pass Knowledge Test

4.0 Ross, Skye and Lochaber Area

	Name of Applicant	Type of Licence	Current Status
4.1	Plockton Village Hall	Public Entertainment	Awaiting Electrical Certificate & Environmental Health Report
4.2	Robert Bashford	Boat Hire – ‘Lysbeth’. The harbour, Fortrose	Awaiting Certification
4.3	Castle Cars (Highland) Ltd	Second Hand Motor Vehicle Dealer – 16 Tomich Industrial Estate, Muir of Ord	Awaiting responses
4.4	Crerar Hotel Group Ltd	Civil Marriage Venue Approval – Ben Wyvis Hotel, Strathpeffer	Awaiting responses
4.5	Alexander MacPherson	Second Hand Motor Vehicle Dealer – 1 Commercial Court, Dingwall	Awaiting response
4.6	Gairloch Highland Gathering	Public Entertainment	Awaiting responses
4.7	Lochcarron Highland Games	Public Entertainment	Awaiting responses
4.8	Tanya McArthur	Street Trader	Awaiting responses

5.0 Recommendation

It is recommended that the Committee agree to defer the determination of the foregoing applications, either:

- (a) to allow them to be approved under delegated powers in the event that no objections/representations are received and all outstanding documentation has been received from the applicants; or
- (b) to a future meeting of the Committee when the applications will be determined in terms of the Hearings Procedure.

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Background Papers: Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982