

The Highland Licensing Committee

Meeting – 4 November 2014

Agenda Item	5
Report No	HLC/072/14

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

	Name of Applicant	Type of Licence	Current Status
2.1	Forss Hall Committee	Public Entertainment – Forss Hall	Awaiting consultee responses
2.2	Doll Community Association	Public Entertainment – Doll Hall, Doll, Brora	Awaiting consultee responses

3.0 Inverness, Nairn and Badenoch Area

	Name of Applicant	Type of Licence	Current Status
3.1	J & R Group Ltd	House in Multiple Occupation – Unit 1, Melville House, Boat of Garten	Awaiting electrical and PAT testing certificates
3.2	J & R Group Ltd	House in Multiple Occupation – Unit 2, Melville House, Boat of Garten	Awaiting electrical and PAT testing certificates

3.3	Michelle Timoney	Skin Piercing & Tattooing	applicant in liaison with Environmental Health
3.4	Xia Di Chen	Late Hours Catering	Undergoing Gas safety checks
3.5	Stephen Christie Hastie	Street Trader	Applicant in liaison with Environmental Health
3.6	Highland Council & High Life Highland	PEL	ready to be issued
3.7	Inverness Royal Academy	PEL	ready to be issued
3.9	Marc Ronald	PHC Operator	applicant to forward up-to-date documents

4.0 Ross, Skye and Lochaber Area

	Name of Applicant	Type of Licence	Current Status
4.1	Rum Community Association	Public Entertainment	Awaiting supporting documentation.
4.2	Glenelg and Arnisdale Village Hall	Public Entertainment	Awaiting Electrical Certificate
4.3	Broadford Village Hall	Public Entertainment	Awaiting Electrical Certificate
4.4	Finlay M MacRae	PHC Operator	Applicant awaiting a vehicle
4.5	Contin Community Trust	Renewal of Public Entertainment Licence for Contin Community Centre and Grounds	Awaiting response from consultee

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