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Report No	HLC/011/22

THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL

Committee: THE HIGHLAND LICENSING COMMITTEE

Date: 22 February 2022

Report title: Applications for the grant or renewal of licences Under the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982

Report by: The Principal Solicitor – Regulatory Services

1.0 Purpose/Executive Summary

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

2. Recommendation

2.2 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.

3.0 Background

3.1 In terms of Section 3(1) of the abovementioned Act all applications require to be determined within 9 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.

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

4.0 Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross Area

Name of applicant	Type of licence	Current status
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4.1	William Nimmons	Taxi Driver	Applicant to submit documents
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5.0 Inverness, Nairn and Badenoch Area

Name of applicant	Type of licence	Current status
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5.1	Highland Industrial Supplies Ltd	Knife Dealer 36 Seafield Road, Inverness	Applicant to submit documents
5.2	Paula Strawhorn	House in Multiple Occupation 41 Innes Street, Inverness	Applicant to submit documents
5.3	Jozsef Simo	Private Hire Car Driver	Applicant still to undergo right to work check
5.4	Prasanth Sukumaran	Taxi Driver	Taxi knowledge test still to be sat and passed
5.5	Rafal Goleniewski	Taxi Driver	Taxi knowledge test still to be sat and passed
5.6	Rafal Goleniewski	Taxi Operator	Vehicle inspection to be carried out
5.7	Embiya Kilig	Late Hours Catering Topkapi, 44 Baron Taylor Street, Inverness	Applicant to submit documents
5.8	Sarkawt Faraj	Taxi Driver	Taxi knowledge test still to be sat and passed
5.9	Donald Mackay	Taxi Operator	Vehicle inspection to be carried out
5.1	Northern Accident Management	Taxi Operator	Applicant to submit documents
5.11	Northern Accident Management	Taxi Operator	Applicant to submit documents
5.12	Michael Macbean	Taxi Driver	Document requested from applicant
5.13	Hummayun Niaz	Taxi Driver	Taxi knowledge test still

5.14	Rzgar Mahmud	Taxi Driver	to be sat and passed Taxi knowledge test still to be sat and passed
5.15	David Gair	Taxi Driver	Taxi knowledge test still to be sat and passed
5.16	John Maclean	Taxi Driver	Applicant to submit document
5.17	Kevin Mackintosh	Taxi Driver	Applicant wishes licence to be issued with operator's licence
5.18	Kevin Mackintosh	Taxi Operator	Applicant to submit vehicle details, vehicle inspection and meter test to be carried out and vehicle documents to be submitted
5.19	James Williamson	Taxi Driver	Applicant to submit documents

6.0 Ross, Skye and Lochaber Area

	Name of applicant	Type of licence	Current status
6.1	Bespoke Beauty	Variation of Skin Piercing or Tattooing for Unit 3 Broomfield Holiday Park, Ullapool	Awaiting responses
6.2	Highlife Highland	Renewal of Public Entertainment for Fortrose Town Hall	Awaiting responses
6.3	North Highland Events and Promotions Ltd	Temporary Public Entertainment for Black Isle Showground, Muir of Ord	Awaiting responses
6.4	Ross MacDonald	Renewal of Second Hand Vehicle Dealer for Tore Car Sales	Awaiting responses
6.5	1 st Avoch Sea Scouts	Renewal of Public Entertainment for Avoch Sea Scouts Training and Community Centre	Awaiting responses

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Background Papers: Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982