THE HIGHLAND LICENSING BOARD

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DATES FOR MEETINGS JUNE 2007 Report by Clerk

SUMMARY

To have the Divisional Licensing Board approve dates for meetings in June 2007.

1. Introduction

The Highland Council has agreed that after May there will be three Divisional Licensing Boards to correspond with the three Operational Areas.

- 2. The Divisional Licensing Boards are being asked to approve the dates for meetings for the successor Boards.
- **3.** There has been discussion amongst Clerks as to the best way to proceed and consensus is that if the eight Divisional Boards agree on the same dates, this will effectively bind the successor Boards in law.
- **4.** In passing, I can advise that it is our intention to write to all licensees in the Highlands advising them of the new Board arrangements in order to try and ensure a smoother transition from the eight Boards into three.

RECOMMENDATION

The dates proposed :-

- 1. Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross 12th June, 2007
- 2. Ross, Skye and Lochaber 19th June, 2007
- 3. Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch & Strathspey 26th June, 2007

all at locations to be fixed by the new Boards.

Signature:

Designation: Clerk

Date: 21st February 2007

Ref: DRS/CP

Background Papers