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THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL

Committee: THE HIGHLAND LICENSING COMMITTEE

Date: 5 November 2019

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
4.1	Gillon Johnstone	Street Trader	Requires food hygiene certificate. Vehicle not ready for inspection.

5.0 Inverness, Nairn and Badenoch Area

	Name of applicant	Type of licence	Current status
5.1	Newtonmore Winter Lights Association	Renewal of Public Entertainment – Golf Course Land, Golf Course Road, Newtonmore	Awaiting consultee responses and documentation from applicant
5.2	High Life Highland	Renewal of Public Entertainment – Badenoch Centre, Spey Street, Kingussie	Awaiting consultee responses and documentation from applicant
5.3	David Farmer	Renewal of Taxi Driver	Right to work check to be carried out
5.4	Tanveer Siddique	Taxi Driver Application	Withdrawing application; advised to put in writing
5.5	Mohamed Afif	Late Hours Catering Renewal, Zoom Takeaway, Lombard Street, Inverness	Awaiting confirmation of trading hours
5.6	Duncan Maxwell	Taxi Driver Application	To re-sit taxi knowledge test
5.7	Gordon McDonald	Private Hire Car Operator Renewal	Awaiting insurance
5.8	Strathnairn Hall	Public Entertainment Renewal, Strathnairn Hall, Daviot	Awaiting certification
5.9	Thajudheen Kalodi	Grant of Taxi Operator	Awaiting vehicle
5.10	James Warren	Grant of Second Hand Dealer's Licence	Awaiting documents
5.11	Daniel Kavanagh	Skin Piercing & Tattooing	Awaiting consultee

		Renewal	responses
5.12	Ian Cattanach	Second Hand Vehicle	Awaiting consultee
		Dealer's Renewal	responses
5.13	Timothy Allan	Street Trader's Renewal	Awaiting consultee
	-		responses

Name of applicant	Type of licence	Current status
J&R Group Ltd, The Seaforth Inn	Renewal of HMO Licence for Glen House, Ullapool	Awaiting responses
Steven Robertson	Renewal of Public Entertainment Licence for Jocktoberfest	Awaiting responses
Shielbridge Hall Committee	Renewal of Public Entertainment Licence	Awaiting documentation from applicant.
Andrew Ferguson	Grant of Taxi Driver's Licence	To pass taxi knowledge test.

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Background Papers: Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982