

Agenda Item	<b>5</b>
Report No	<b>HLC/067/19</b>

**THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL**

**Committee: THE HIGHLAND LICENSING COMMITTEE**

**Date: 3 December 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**

	<b>Name of applicant</b>	<b>Type of licence</b>	<b>Current status</b>
<b>4.1</b>	Proximo Limited	Temporary Private Hire Car Operator	Awaiting documents and vehicle to be inspected
<b>4.2</b>	Darren Sutherland	Taxi Driver	To sit and pass taxi knowledge test

### **5.0 Inverness, Nairn and Badenoch Area**

	<b>Name of applicant</b>	<b>Type of licence</b>	<b>Current status</b>
<b>5.1</b>	Andrew Laing	Taxi Driver	Right to work check to be carried out
<b>5.2</b>	Signet Trading Ltd	Second Hand Dealer Ernest Jones, Eastgate Shopping Centre, Inverness	Awaiting certificate of compliance from applicant
<b>5.3</b>	Yvonne Falconer	Private Hire Car Driver	Right to work check to be carried out
<b>5.4</b>	Highlife Highland	Public Entertainment Craigmonie Centre, Drumnadrochit	Awaiting consultee responses
<b>5.5</b>	Donna Marie Grant	Street Trader	Awaiting consultee responses
<b>5.6</b>	St Andrew's Cathedral	Public Entertainment Ness Walk, Inverness	Awaiting consultee responses
<b>5.7</b>	Gordon McDonald	Private Hire Car Driver	Right to work check to be carried out
<b>5.8</b>	Glenfold Ltd	Taxi Operator	Vehicle still to be inspected
<b>5.9</b>	Tatenda Makombe	Private Hire Car Driver	Right to work check to be carried out
<b>5.10</b>	Rahil Ghafoor	Taxi Driver	Right to work check to be carried out
<b>5.11</b>	Highland Council	Public Entertainment	Awaiting consultee

		Hogmanay Event @ Northern Meeting Park, Ardross Street, Inverness	responses
<b>5.12</b>	Richard Maclean	Street Trader	Awaiting consultee responses
<b>5.13</b>	David Duff	Renewal of Street Trader	Awaiting consultee responses
<b>5.14</b>	James Gordon	Renewal of Street Trader	Awaiting consultee responses
<b>5.15</b>	Kingussie Business Forum	Grant of Public Entertainment Licence – The Dell Shinty Pitch and Market Stance, Kingussie	Awaiting consultee responses and documentation from applicant

## **6.0 Ross, Skye and Lochaber Area**

	<b>Name of applicant</b>	<b>Type of licence</b>	<b>Current status</b>
<b>6.1</b>	Rayna Khanam	Renewal of House in Multiple Owner	Awaiting response
<b>6.2</b>	Highlife Highland	Renewal of Public Entertainment for Macphail Centre, Ullapool	Awaiting response
<b>6.3</b>	Karen Townend	Grant of PHC Driver	Awaiting documentation
<b>6.4</b>	Alasdair MacDonald	Grant of Taxi Driver	Awaiting documentation and to sit knowledge test
<b>6.5</b>	Alasdair MacDonald	Grant of Taxi Operator	Vehicle not yet purchased
<b>6.6</b>	Stuart Lamont	Grant of Taxi Operator	Awaiting documentation
<b>6.7</b>	Kevin MacFadyen	Renewal of Second Hand Vehicle Dealer's Licence	Awaiting consultee responses and site notice consultation
<b>6.8</b>	Maxine Smith	Renewal of PE Licence (UV Sunbeds)	Awaiting consultee responses
<b>6.9</b>	Maxine Smith	Renewal of Skin Piercing Licence	Awaiting consultee responses
<b>7.0</b>	WM Morrison Supermarkets plc	Renewal of Late Hours Catering Licence	Awaiting electrical report
<b>7.1</b>	Scott Hunter	Grant of Taxi Driver's Licence	To pass knowledge test

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Background Papers: Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982