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Report No	HLC/018/22

THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL

Committee: Highland Licensing Committee

Date: 29 March 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
4.1	Matthew Wallis	Taxi Driver	Right to Work Check and knowledge test to be carried out
4.2	Oliver Henderson	Street Trader	Vehicle to be inspected and documents to be submitted to Environmental Health

5.0 Inverness, Nairn and Badenoch Area

	Name of applicant	Type of licence	Current status
5.1	Leszek Szybowski	Private Hire Car Driver	Right to Work Check to be carried out
5.2	Leszek Szybowski	Private Hire Car Operator	Vehicle to be inspected and documents submitted
5.3	Taylor Cars Scotland Ltd	Second Hand Vehicle Dealer Unit 6, 8 Harbour Road, Inverness	Applicants to submit certificate of compliance
5.4	Grahams of Inverness	Knife Dealer Castle Street, Inverness	Applicants to submit certificate of compliance
5.5	Abdelali Krioua	Taxi Driver	Applicant to submit documents
5.6	Santhoshkumar Kuttapan	Private Hire Car Driver	Applicant to submit documents
5.7	Nairn Show Ltd	Grant of Public Entertainment Davidson Park Grantown Road Househill Nairn	Awaiting consultee responses and documents from applicant
5.8	Rebecca Simmonds	Grant of Taxi Driver	Applicant to re-sit and

6.0 Ross, Skye and Lochaber Area

	Name of applicant	Type of licence	Current status
6.1	Rudha Mor Ltd	Grant of Street Trader	Awaiting consultee responses
6.2	Colin Halley	Grant of Street Trader	Awaiting consultee responses
6.3	Kevin Campbell	Grant of Taxi Driver's Licence	Right to work check and knowledge test

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Background Papers: Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982