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Report No	HLC/011/23

THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL

Committee: THE HIGHLAND LICENSING COMMITTEE

Date: 14 February 2023

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	Alan Jaffray	Taxi Driver	Awaiting document from applicant
4.2	Ian Downes	Market Operator – Café Tomich, Ltd, Tomich Farm Rad, Invergordon	Awaiting document from applicant

5.0 Inverness, Nairn and Badenoch Area

	Name of applicant	Type of licence	Current status
5.1	Historic Environment Scotland Enterprises Ltd	Knife Dealer Fort George Visitor Centre, By Ardersier	Awaiting document from applicant
5.2	Khadija El Barnaoui	Private Hire Car Driver	Awaiting document from applicant
5.3	Gavin Finlay	Public Entertainment Dores Hall, Dores	Awaiting certificates from applicant
5.4	John Tollerfield	Window Cleaner	Awaiting document from applicant
5.5	Awais Mustafa	Private Hire Car Driver	Awaiting document from applicant
5.6	Ultra X Scotland	Temp Market Operator Clune Farm, Loch Ness, Dores	Awaiting consultee responses
5.7	Andrzej Nowak	Private Hire Car Driver	Right to work check still to be undertaken.
5.8	Merkinch Community Centre	Public Entertainment Coronation Road, Inverness, IV3 8AD	Awaiting document from applicant
5.9	Savills, Central Management Office	Market Operator Falcon Square, Inverness	Awaiting consultee responses
5.10	Ramsdens Financial Ltd	Second Hand Dealer	Awaiting document from

		33 High Street, Inverness	applicant
5.11	Loch Ness Hub Ltd	Private Hire Car Operator	Vehicle awaiting inspection
5.12	Zohaib Ahmed	Taxi Operator	Awaiting documents from applicant
5.13	Marius Chiorean	Taxi Driver	Awaiting document from applicant
5.14	Senga Heenan	Skin Piercing & Tattooing Bellezza Salons, Culloden Service Station, Barn Church Road, Culloden, Inverness	Awaiting documents from applicant
5.15	Eric Wardlaw	Boat Hire – Variation – The Harbour Nairn	Awaiting consultee responses

6.0 Ross, Skye and Lochaber Area

	Name of applicant	Type of licence	Current status
6.1	Angus MacLennan	Second Hand Motor Vehicle Dealer	Awaiting confirmation from applicant
6.2	Loch Torridon Hotel Ltd	House in Multiple Occupation	Awaiting consultation responses
6.3	Aska Marine Ltd	Street Trader (employee)	Awaiting photos for ID badge
6.4	Hugh MacLeod	Public Entertainment	Awaiting documentation and consultee reports
6.5	Jack Wade	Taxi Driver	To sit Knowledge Test
6.6	Jack Wade	Taxi Operator	Awaiting vehicle inspection, meter test and documentation
6.7	Motor Fuel Limited	Late Hours Catering	Awaiting electrical certificate.
6.8	Highlife Highland	Lochaber Leisure Centre Belford Road Fort William	Awaiting consultee responses and documentation.
6.9	Wm Morrison Supermarkets Ltd	Morrisons Petrol Station An Aird Fort William	Awaiting electrical certificate and consultee responses.
6.10	Aurel Ionita	Second Hand Vehicle Dealer's Licence	Awaiting consultee responses.
6.11	Andrew Ross	Taxi Driver's Licence	Awaiting taxi knowledge test.
6.12	Scott E Kennedy	Taxi Driver's Licence	Awaiting taxi knowledge test.
6.13	Ebony Williams	Taxi Driver's Licence	Awaiting taxi knowledge test.
6.14	Colin MacMillan	Taxi Driver's Licence	Awaiting response from applicant.

6.15 Colin MacMillan Taxi Operator's Licence Awaiting response from applicant.

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Background Papers: Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982