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**MINUTE of MEETING of the CIVIC LICENSING COMMITTEE held in the MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS, FALKIRK on WEDNESDAY 23 APRIL 2014 at 2.00 P.M.**

**COUNCILLORS:**

Jim Blackwood  
Baillie William Buchanan  
Gordon Hughes  
Baillie Joan Paterson  
Depute Provost John Patrick  
Provost Pat Reid  
Sandy Turner

**OFFICERS:**

Shona Barton, Committee Services Officer  
Bryan Douglas, Licensing Co-ordinator  
Rose Mary Glackin, Chief Governance Officer  
Frances Kobiela, Senior Solicitor  
Brian Samson, Licensing Enforcement Officer (for agenda item 5 (minute CL4))

In the absence of the Convener on other business, Baillie Joan Paterson chaired the meeting during items CL1 – CL5.

**CL1. APOLOGIES**

Apologies were intimated on behalf of Councillors McNally and Ritchie.

**CL2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

No declarations were made.

**CL3. MINUTE**

**Decision**

**The minute of the meeting of the Civic Licensing Committee on 19 March 2014 was approved.**

**CL4. LIST OF APPLICATIONS GRANTED UNDER DELEGATED POWERS AND NOTIFICATIONS OF PUBLIC PROCESSIONS RECEIVED IN FEBRUARY 2014**

The Committee considered a report by the Chief Governance Officer detailing (a) applications granted under delegated powers between 1 and 28 February 2014 in terms of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 and the Marriage (Approval of Places) (Scotland) Regulations 2002, and (b) notifications of public processions received during the same period.

**Decision**

**The Committee noted the Report.**

**CL5. CIVIC LICENSING ENFORCEMENT – FEBRUARY 2014**

The Committee considered a report by the Chief Governance Officer giving an overview of enforcement action taken with regard to Civic Licensing activities during February 2014.

**Decision**

**The Committee noted the Report.**

Provost Reid entered the meeting during discussion of the foregoing item of business and assumed the chair for the following items of business.

**CL6. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC**

**RESOLVED** in terms of Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, to exclude from the meeting the press and public for the following items of business on the ground that they would involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 6 of Part 1 of Schedule 7A to the said Act.

**CL7. APPLICATION FOR THE VARIATION OF LATE HOURS CATERING LICENCE NO. 238**

Mr C and Mr R, directors of the applicant company and Inspector D Gibson and PC Andy Kane, Police Scotland, entered the meeting.

The Committee considered a report by the Chief Governance Officer on an application for the variation of late hours catering licence no.238 (a) advising of the background to the application; (b) detailing the consultations undertaken and the responses received, and (c) attaching as appendices 1 and 2 respectively, the report submitted to Committee on 19 March 2014 and the representation received from Police Scotland in relation to the application.

Inspector Gibson spoke in amplification of the representation made by Police Scotland.

Members of the Committee and Mr C and Mr R asked questions of Inspector Gibson.

Mr C and Mr R spoke in support of the application.

Questions were then asked by Members of the Committee.

**AGREED** that a short adjournment take place to enable Committee to consider the submissions.

Mr C, Mr R, Inspector Gibson and PC Kane left and were then recalled to the meeting.

### **Decision**

**The Committee agreed to refuse the variation application on the basis that the premises proposed to be used for the licensed activity are not suitable or convenient for that use having regard to:**

- **the location of the premises;**
- **the nature and extent of the proposed activity;**
- **the possibility of undue public nuisance, and**
- **public order or public safety**

**All in accordance with paragraphs 5(3)(c)(i), (ii), (iv) and (v) of Schedule 1 to the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982.**

**Additionally, there was other good reason to refuse the application under paragraph 5(3)(d) of the said Schedule in that the licence sought was contrary to the Council's policy and the Committee was not persuaded that such a departure from policy was justified.**

## **CL8. APPLICATION FOR THE RENEWAL OF A TAXI DRIVER LICENCE**

Ms M, the applicant, Inspector D Gibson and PC A Kane, Police Scotland all entered the meeting.

The Committee considered a report by the Chief Governance Officer on an application for the renewal of a taxi driver licence (a) advising of the background to the application, and (b) detailing the consultations undertaken.

Ms Kobiela advised the Committee that the applicant had two pending court proceedings which had yet to be heard. One was a trial and the other an appeal. It was also noted that an extension had been obtained from the Sheriff in terms of the timescale in which this application had to be considered by the Committee. This application now had to be determined by 31 August 2014.

Ms M was then heard in relation to the complaint, advising that she wished the matter to be continued pending the outcome of the trial.

Inspector Gibson advised that Police Scotland were content to allow for the continuation.

### **Decision**

**The Committee agreed to continue consideration of the application to a future meeting pending the outcome of the trial.**

## **CL9. APPLICATION FOR THE GRANT OF A NEW WINDOW CLEANER LICENCE**

The applicant, Mr H, entered the meeting.

The Committee considered a report by the Chief Governance Officer on an application for the grant of a new window cleaner licence (a) advising of the background to the application; (b) detailing the consultations undertaken and the responses received, and (c) detailing the applicant's record.

Mr H spoke in support of the application.

Questions were then asked by Members of the Committee.

### **Decision**

**The Committee agreed to grant the application for a new window cleaner licence for a period of three years subject to the standard conditions.**

**FALKIRK COUNCIL**

**Subject: LIST OF APPLICATIONS GRANTED UNDER DELEGATED POWERS AND NOTIFICATIONS OF PUBLIC PROCESSIONS RECEIVED IN MARCH 2014**  
**Meeting: CIVIC LICENSING COMMITTEE**  
**Date: 29 May 2014**  
**Author: CHIEF GOVERNANCE OFFICER**

**1. INTRODUCTION**

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to provide to Members details of all applications made under the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 and the Marriage (Approval of Places) (Scotland) Regulations 2002 which were granted by officers under delegated powers between 1 and 31 March 2014. The report also includes a list of all currently pending notifications of Public Processions.

**2. REPORT**

- 2.1 The Appendices to this report provide details of applications granted by officers under delegated powers during March 2014 and pending notifications of Public Processions.
- 2.2 Appendix 1 details new and renewal applications made under the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 in relation to taxi and private hire.

**March 2014 – Appendix 1**

<b>Application Type</b>	<b>Private Hire Operator</b>	<b>Private Hire Driver</b>	<b>Taxi Operator</b>	<b>Taxi Driver</b>
New	1	2	0	2
Renewal	15	5	36	59

- 2.3 Appendix 2 details all other types of new and renewal applications made under the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982.

**March 2014 – Appendix 2**

<b>Application</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Number</b>
Civil Marriages	Renewal	1
Late Hours Catering	Renewal	3
Late Hours Catering	New	1
Miscellaneous Permission	Temporary	2
Public Charitable Collection	Temporary	1
Second Hand Dealer	New	1
Skin Piercing and Tattooing	Renewal	3
Street Trader (Mobile)	New	1
Window Cleaner	New	5
Window Cleaner	Renewal	1

- 2.4 Appendix 3 details all currently pending parades and marches notified to the licensing authority. This differs from the other applications received as the statutory requirement is for the Licensing Authority to be notified of a proposed parade or march rather than for an organisation to apply for a licence to hold a parade or march.

### **3. RECOMMENDATION**

- 3.1 It is recommended that Members note the contents of this report.

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**Chief Governance Officer**

**Date: 20 May 2014**

**Contact Officer: Bryan Douglas, Licensing Co-ordinator (telephone 501262)**

#### **LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS**

None.

# Taxi/Private Hire

# Appendix 1

	Reference No.	Type	Type	Date Received	Status	Decision Date	Individual
1	387	Private Hire Car Driver	New	20/01/2014	Delegate	07/03/2014	Carr, Patrick
2	385	Private Hire Car Driver	New	03/02/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	Young, Mark
3	337	Private Hire Car Driver	Renewal	20/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Anderson, William
4	209	Private Hire Car Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Faichney, Joanna Elizabeth
5	261	Private Hire Car Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Matheson, Peter Sinclair Stewart
6	211	Private Hire Car Driver	Renewal	03/02/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Shade, James
7	368	Private Hire Car Driver	Renewal	21/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Paterson, David George Rankine
8	087	Private Hire Car Operator	New	03/02/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	Young, Mark
9	037	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	31/12/2013	Delegate	04/03/2014	Buchanan, Robert Gordon
10	018	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Halligan, Julie Florence
11	023	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Flemings Taxis (Falkirk)
12	041	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Flemings Taxis (Falkirk)
13	042	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Flemings Taxis (Falkirk)
14	043	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Flemings Taxis (Falkirk)
15	070	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Flemings Taxis (Falkirk)
16	081	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Flemings Taxis (Falkirk)
17	052	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Flemings Taxis (Falkirk)
18	077	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Flemings Taxis (Falkirk)
19	005	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	07/02/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Thomson, Craig Ryan
20	060	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	07/02/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Adamson, James
21	065	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	18/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Faichney, Joanna Elizabeth
22	061	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	18/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Bruce Taxis Ltd
23	062	Private Hire Car Operator	Renewal	18/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Bruce Taxis Ltd
24	1950	Taxi Driver	New	13/01/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Burnett, William John
25	1951	Taxi Driver	New	15/01/2014	Delegate	24/03/2014	McLauchlan, William
26	1428	Taxi Driver	Renewal	20/12/2013	Delegate	14/03/2014	Kirkwood, William
27	1903	Taxi Driver	Renewal	31/12/2013	Delegate	04/03/2014	Dougall, William Stewart
28	0658	Taxi Driver	Renewal	03/01/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	Malone, Margaret
29	1009	Taxi Driver	Renewal	06/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	West, Robert
30	0392	Taxi Driver	Renewal	13/01/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	McAlpine, Ian
31	1581	Taxi Driver	Renewal	15/01/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	Bruce, Emma Louise
32	0303	Taxi Driver	Renewal	16/01/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	Dunn, Malcolm
33	0243	Taxi Driver	Renewal	16/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Dalglish, Gordon Brownie
34	0009	Taxi Driver	Renewal	20/01/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Day, Daryoosh Djamshidy
35	1052	Taxi Driver	Renewal	21/01/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Bourke, Patrick John
36	1477	Taxi Driver	Renewal	22/01/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	Moore, David
37	1038	Taxi Driver	Renewal	22/01/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Scott, Alan James
38	1292	Taxi Driver	Renewal	23/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Kennedy, John Little
39	1431	Taxi Driver	Renewal	23/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Hardie, Graham
40	1534	Taxi Driver	Renewal	23/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Fenwick, Thomas Andrew
41	1006	Taxi Driver	Renewal	24/01/2014	Delegate	10/03/2014	Wilsdon, Charles
42	1910	Taxi Driver	Renewal	24/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Murray, Adair Douglas
43	0368	Taxi Driver	Renewal	27/01/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	Cafferty, Kelvin McKenzie
44	1525	Taxi Driver	Renewal	27/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Fullerton, Eamon
45	0953	Taxi Driver	Renewal	27/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Paterson, John
46	1294	Taxi Driver	Renewal	27/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Reynolds, William Alexander
47	1637	Taxi Driver	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Kirkwood, John
48	1706	Taxi Driver	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Ewart, Michael Forde
49	0586	Taxi Driver	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	McIntyre, Alan
50	1010	Taxi Driver	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Anderson, Ian
51	1068	Taxi Driver	Renewal	29/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Buchanan, David
52	0761	Taxi Driver	Renewal	29/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Mill, George
53	1039	Taxi Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Nicol, John Leslie

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54	1905	Taxi Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	McCleary, Graeme
55	0390	Taxi Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Brookes, George Rankin Wallace
56	1476	Taxi Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	McMeechan, Louise
57	0063	Taxi Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Christie, James
58	0991	Taxi Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Martin, Derek
59	0988	Taxi Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Barker, Paul Michael
60	0301	Taxi Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	19/03/2014	Fawcett, George Rankine
61	0224	Taxi Driver	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	20/03/2014	Glennon, May Lennie
62	0729	Taxi Driver	Renewal	31/01/2014	Delegate	02/03/2014	Paterson, Anne
63	0343	Taxi Driver	Renewal	31/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Armstrong, Gordon
64	0946	Taxi Driver	Renewal	31/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Dalgliesh, Allan Graham
65	1585	Taxi Driver	Renewal	03/02/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Love, David
66	1197	Taxi Driver	Renewal	03/02/2014	Delegate	19/03/2014	Patterson, James
67	0484	Taxi Driver	Renewal	04/02/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	McGregor, Gordon
68	1063	Taxi Driver	Renewal	07/02/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Boreta, Edward Richard
69	1041	Taxi Driver	Renewal	10/02/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Cunningham, David Shepherd
70	0966	Taxi Driver	Renewal	11/02/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Bahnsen, Fritz
71	1646	Taxi Driver	Renewal	11/02/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Armstrong, Paul Anthony
72	1062	Taxi Driver	Renewal	11/02/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Duff, Derek
73	1342	Taxi Driver	Renewal	11/02/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Paige, John Victor
74	1051	Taxi Driver	Renewal	18/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Mallet, John Richard
75	1716	Taxi Driver	Renewal	19/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Peacock, Lee Callaghan
76	0148	Taxi Driver	Renewal	20/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Pryde, Peter
77	1479	Taxi Driver	Renewal	20/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Russell, William Wyllie
78	0497	Taxi Driver	Renewal	21/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Paterson, Robert
79	1565	Taxi Driver	Renewal	21/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Imrie, John Donnelly McGuire
80	1048	Taxi Driver	Renewal	21/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	McGrandles, David
81	1044	Taxi Driver	Renewal	21/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Shepherd, Ronald
82	0597	Taxi Driver	Renewal	24/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Mackinlay, Alan
83	1828	Taxi Driver	Renewal	24/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Strang, David
84	1909	Taxi Driver	Renewal	28/02/2014	Delegate	06/03/2014	Muir, John
85	292	Taxi Operator	Renewal	28/01/2013	Delegate	13/03/2014	McIntyre, Alan
86	311	Taxi Operator	Renewal	09/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Craig, William
87	286	Taxi Operator	Renewal	15/01/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	Ferguson, Gordon McKenzie
88	217	Taxi Operator	Renewal	15/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Curran, Hugh
89	274	Taxi Operator	Renewal	16/01/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	Dunn, Malcolm
90	306	Taxi Operator	Renewal	16/01/2014	Delegate	18/03/2014	Dalgliesh, Gordon Brownie
91	138	Taxi Operator	Renewal	17/01/2014	Delegate	04/03/2014	Higgins, James Prentice
92	343	Taxi Operator	Renewal	20/01/2014	Delegate	26/03/2014	Day, Daryoosh Djamshidy
93	290	Taxi Operator	Renewal	22/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Faichney, David
94	241	Taxi Operator	Renewal	23/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	Halliday, Samuel James
95	391	Taxi Operator	Renewal	23/01/2014	Delegate	14/03/2014	McArthur, Derek
96	279	Taxi Operator	Renewal	27/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Cafferty, Kelvin McKenzie
97	197	Taxi Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Martin, Stuart Cowan Gillespie
98	337	Taxi Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Flemings Taxis (Falkirk)
99	074	Taxi Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Kirkwood, John
100	342	Taxi Operator	Renewal	28/01/2014	Delegate	18/03/2014	Kearney, John
101	303	Taxi Operator	Renewal	29/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Buchanan, David
102	308	Taxi Operator	Renewal	29/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Mill, George
103	432	Taxi Operator	Renewal	29/01/2014	Delegate	19/03/2014	Fourways Taxis



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104	320	Taxi Operator	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Fawcett, George Rankine
105	315	Taxi Operator	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Barker, Paul Michael
106	318	Taxi Operator	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Christie, James
107	313	Taxi Operator	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Brookes, George Rankin Wallace
108	366	Taxi Operator	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	McLeod, Wendy Janet
109	338	Taxi Operator	Renewal	30/01/2014	Delegate	15/03/2014	Glennon, May Lennie
110	352	Taxi Operator	Renewal	31/01/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	Paterson, Anne
111	370	Taxi Operator	Renewal	04/02/2014	Delegate	13/03/2014	McGregor, Gordon
112	347	Taxi Operator	Renewal	18/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Bruce Taxis Ltd
113	183	Taxi Operator	Renewal	18/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	McNelly, Laura
114	345	Taxi Operator	Renewal	18/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Bruce Taxis Ltd
115	026	Taxi Operator	Renewal	19/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Dickson, John
116	326	Taxi Operator	Renewal	21/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Shepherd, Ronald
117	411	Taxi Operator	Renewal	21/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Paterson, Robert
118	154	Taxi Operator	Renewal	24/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Carr, Michael John Rothnie
119	350	Taxi Operator	Renewal	24/02/2014	Delegate	25/03/2014	Mackinlay, Alan
120	166	Taxi Operator	Renewal	28/02/2014	Delegate	06/03/2014	McVay, Alexander Kenneth



	Licence No.	Type	Date	Name	Premises	Status	Date of Decision	Employee Name	Type
1	017	Civil Marriages	04/03/2014	Craftrelay Ltd	The Three Kings Westershielhill Shieldhill Falkirk FK1 3AT	Delegate	20/03/2014		New
2	228	Late Hours Catering	22/11/2013	Sadia Ahmed	Chillies 22 Grangepons Bo'ness EH54 9PA	Delegate	11/03/2014		Renewal
3	225	Late Hours Catering	25/10/2013	Certas Energy Ltd	Carronvale Service Station 263 Main Street Larbert FK5 4PX	Delegate	11/03/2014	Margaret Kirsty Gallon	Renewal
4	240	Late Hours Catering	19/12/2013	Shui Tai Shak	Wing Wah Takeaway 140 Carronshore Road Carron Falkirk	Delegate	17/03/2014		New
5	202	Late Hours Catering	20/02/2014	Mohammad Afzal	Naz Tandoori 5 Melville Street Falkirk FK1 1HZ	Delegate	24/03/2014		Renewal
6	0112	Miscellaneous Permission	06/03/2014	The Redeemed Christian Church of God		Delegate	12/03/2014		Miscellaneous
7	0110	Miscellaneous Permission	23/01/2014	Brian Liddle		Delegate	11/03/2014		Miscellaneous
8	/0195	Public Charitable Collection	28/02/2014	The Brain Tumor Charity		Delegate	11/03/2014		Flag Day
9	386	Second Hand Dealer	19/02/2014	Barry Roberts	B.R. Car Sales Unit 28F U Store Industrial Estate Burnbank Road Falkirk FK2 7PE	Delegate	25/03/2014		New
10	385	Second Hand Dealer	12/02/2014	Terncove Ltd t/a We-Pay	We-Pay 31 North Street Bo'ness EH51 0AQ	Delegate	25/03/2014	Peter Page	New
11	006	Skin Piercing and Tattooing	17/01/2014	Body Matters Beauty Salon	Body Matters Beauty Salon 2a Park Street Falkirk FK1 1RE	Delegate	19/03/2014	Morag Wood	Renewal
12	004	Skin Piercing and Tattooing	12/11/2013	John Robert S. Lawson	Skin Scribe Tattoo Studio 14 Cockburn Street Falkirk FK1 5BE	Delegate	05/03/2014		Renewal
13	003	Skin Piercing and Tattooing	28/08/2013	Claire's Accessories	Claire's Accessories Unit 1 Howgate Centre Falkirk FK1 1HG	Delegate	19/03/2014	Eleanor Griffin	Renewal
14	1215	Street Trader (Mobile)	24/01/2014	Allan Mason		Delegate	10/03/2014		New
15	426	Window Cleaner	26/02/2014	Christopher Burgoyne		Delegate	25/03/2014		New
16	422	Window Cleaner	30/01/2014	Michael Kane		Delegate	25/03/2014		New
17	379	Window Cleaner	17/02/2014	Anthony King		Delegate	18/03/2014		Renewal
18	425	Window Cleaner	26/02/2014	Peter Jackson		Delegate	26/03/2014		New
19	421	Window Cleaner	20/01/2014	Thomas Rae		Delegate	17/03/2014		New
20	423	Window Cleaner	03/02/2014	Christopher MacDonald		Delegate	10/03/2014		New



PENDING PUBLIC PROCESSIONS

Ref. No.	Date of notification	Organisation	Proposed date	Expected No. of marchers	Deadline for comments	Status	Route
2	03-Feb-14	Apprentice Boys of Derry (Falkirk)	24-May-14	100	10-May-14	Pending	2.30 pm - Larbert McClaren Park, Church Street, left into King Street, left at McGowans Packing, Larbert East Church, Muirfield Street, Valeview, McLachlan Street, Main Street finish at Dobbie Hall.
7	25-Feb-14	Grangemouth Children's Day	21-Jun-14	3000	07-Jun-14	Pending	1.30 pm - Grangemouth Oxgang Road, Kersiebank Avenue, to Overton Road, Abbots Road, Zetland Public Park.
9	03-Mar-14	Bo'ness Orange and Purple District L. O. L. 62	28-Jun-14	150	14-Jun-14	Pending	9.00 am - Bo'ness Bo'ness Fire Station, Linlithgow Road, Church Wynd, Stewart Avenue, Church Wynd, Sea View Place, North Street, Main Street, Links Road, Grangepans, Cowdenhill Road, disperse.
10	03-Mar-14	Bo'ness Orange and Purple District L.O.L. 62	28-Jun-14	140	14-Jun-14	Pending	6.15 pm - Bo-ness Bo'ness Fire Station, Linlithgow Road, Church Wynd, Seaview Place, North Street, Main Street, Links Road, Grangepans, Cowdenhill Road, disperse
11	05-Mar-14	Bonnybridge Remembrance Group	04-Aug-14	50	21-Jul-14	Pending	6.50 pm - Bonnybridge Community Centre and proceed onto, Bridge Street, High Street, Memorial Park.

12	06-Mar-14	Strathcarron Hospice	21-Sep-14	500	07-Sep-14	Pending	11.00 am - Denny Denny High School, Broad Street, Stirling Street, Nethermain Road, Denny Road, Bonnybridge Road, Larbert Road, Checkbar Roundabout onto A883 Denny High School.
17	24-Mar-14	Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland Falkirk District 36	28-Jun-14	60	14-Jun-14	Pending	8.30 am - Bainsford Dawson Park, Carronside Street, Farm Street, Carron Road, Stenhouse Road, Castle Drive, Lodge Drive, Arthurs Drive disperse in park.
18	24-Mar-14	Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland Falkirk District 36	28-Jun-14	60	14-Jun-14	Pending	4.00 pm - Bainsford Dawson Park, Davids Loan, Bainsford Main Street, Grahams Road, Dalderse Avenue, Thornhill Road disperse at Thornhill Road Community Centre.
19	24-Mar-14	Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland Falkirk District 36	28-Jun-14	60	14-Jun-14	Pending	8.30 am - Carronshore Burnside Place, Carronshore Road, Stenhouse Road, Castle Drive, Lodge Drive, Arthurs Drive disperse in park.
20	24-Mar-14	Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland Falkirk District 36	28-Jun-14	60	14-Jun-14	Pending	4.00 pm - Carronshore Gairdoch Park, North Main Street, Main Street, Webster Avenue, Roughlands Drive, Roughlands Crescent, Skaithmuir Avenue, Roughlands Drive, Webster Avenue, Carronshore Road, Burnside Place, disperse.
21	24-Mar-14	Loyal Orange Institution of Scoltnad Falkirk District 36	28-Jun-14	80	14-Jun-14	Pending	8.00 am - Westquarter Valley Park, Park Crescent, Langton Road, Alder Grove, Carhowden Road, Westquarter Avenue, Dovecot Road, Woodburn Avenue, Main Street, Kirkwood Avenue, Knowehead Road, Wholequarter Avenue, School Road, Redding Road, Unity Club disperse

22	24-Mar-14	Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland Falkirk District 36	28-Jun-14	80	14-Jun-14	Pending	4.00 pm - Westquarter Valley Park, Park Crescent, Langton Road, Alder Grove, Carhowden Road, Westquarter Avenue, Dovecot Road, Woodburn Avenue, Main Street, Kirkwood Avenue, Knowehead Road, Wholequarter Avenue, School Road, Redding Road disperse at Unity Club.
23	24-Mar-14	Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland Falkirk District 36	28-Jun-14	360	14-Jun-14	Pending	9.30 am - Stenhousemuir Stenhouse Park at Arthurs Drive, Sheriff Lane, Church Street, Central Drive, King Street, Kirk Drive, Muirfield Road, Lamond View, McLachlan Street, Burnhead Road disperse.
24	24-Mar-14	Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland Falkirk District 36	28-Jun-14	60	14-Jun-14	Pending	4.00 pm - Stenhousemuir Park Drive car park, James Street, Carronview, Lamond View, Muirfield Road, Church Lane, King Street, disperse at Dobbie Hall.
25	24-Mar-14	Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland Falkirk District 36	28-Jun-14	100	14-Jun-14	Pending	8.15 am - Camelon Burnside Terrace, Union Street, Carmuir Avenue, Fairlie Drive, Antonine Street, Wilson Avenue, Fairlie Street, Mariner Avenue, Mariner Street, Mossgiel Park disperse.
26	24-Mar-14	Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland Falkirk District 36	28-Jun-14	100	14-Jun-14	Pending	4.00 pm - Camelon Ochiltree Terrace, Kenmuir Street, Glencairn Street, Ochiltree Terrace, Clarinda Avenue, Mariner Avenue, Mariner Road, Carmuir Avenue, Wilson Avenue, Fairlie Street, Fairlie Drive, Carmuir Street, Wall Street, Watling Drive, Brown Street, Mansionhouse Road, Carmuir Avenue, Union Street, Burnside Terrace, disperse.
28	28-Mar-14	Grangemouth Divine Truth LOL 187	28-Jun-14	70	14-Jun-14	Pending	8:15 am - Grangemouth Almond Street, Newhouse Road, Abbotts Road, Kingsmeat Avenue, Overton Road, Kersibank Avenue, Stadium Car Par.

29	28-Mar-14	Grangemouth Divine Truth LOL 187	28-Jun-14	70	14-Jun-14	Pending	4.15 pm - Grangemouth Rannoch Road, Bowhouse Road, Craigleith Road, Kingseat Avenue, Abbots Road, Newlands Road, Central Avenue, disperse Newlands Community Centre.
31	03-Apr-14	Redding and Westquarter Protestant Boys Flute Band	31-May-14	600	17-May-14	Pending	5.00 pm - Falkirk Assemble at Victoria Park , Thornhill Road, Dalderse Avenue, Grahams Road, Main Street, Davids Loan.
32	08-Apr-14	Dawson Gala	05-Jul-14	200	21-Jun-14	Pending	12.15 pm - Langlees/Bainsford Dawson Centre, Davids Loan, Seaforth Road, Lomond Drive, Seaforth, Davids Loan, Langlees Street, Haugh Street, Abbotsford Street, Dawson Park.
38	14-Apr-14	Brother James Dick Memorial Lodge	05-Jul-14	60	21-Jun-14	Pending	8.00 am - Airth Car park 189 Bar, Main Street, Shore Road, Wilderness, Netherby Road, Graham Terrace, lay wreath, Shore Road, Paul Drive, Elephinston Crescent, Main Street, South Green Drive, Main Street, High Street, Main Street, 189 car park.
39	14-Apr-14	Bannockburn Orange and Purple District No. 2	05-Jul-14	250	21-Jun-14	Pending	9.00 am - Bonnybridge Foundry Road, Broomhill Road, Bridge Street, High Street, Dunure Street, Larbert Road, Ure Crescent, Wheatlands Avenue, Larbert Road, Peathill Road, Wellpark Terrace, High Street, Bridge Street, Broomhill Road, Foundry Road.
40	14-Apr-14	Brother James Dick Memorial Orangelodge LOL 189	05-Jul-14	60	21-Jun-14	Pending	5.00 pm - Airth Car park 189, Main Street, Shore Road, Wilderness, Netherby Road, Graham Terrace, Main Street, Shore Road, Paul Drive, Elephinston Crescent, Main Street, South Green Drive, Main Street, 189 car park.



41	22-Apr-14	Royal Marines	08-Jul-14	21	24-Jun-14	Pending	11.00 am - Denny Leaving Stirling A872 towards Denny, through Denny via High Street, heading South/South West staying on A872, at Haggs/Longcroft go South/South West and join B816.
42	24-Apr-14	Laurieston School P.T.A.	01-Jun-14	100	18-May-14	Pending	11.45 am - Laurieston Park Avenue, Kennilworth Drive, Grahamsdyke Street, Abbotsford Drive, Boyd Street, Mossgeil Terrace, Hornbeam Crescent, School Road.
43	06-May-14	Denny True Blues L.O.L. 257	05-Jul-14	75	21-Jun-14	Pending	8.00 am - Denny Westborland Road, Nethermains Road, Duke Street, Stirling Street, Rosebank bus terminal.
44	06-May-14	Denny True Blues L.O.L. 257	05-Jul-14	75	21-Jun-14	Pending	5.00 pm - Denny Rosebank bus terminal, Stirling Street, Cenotaph, Duke Street, Nethermains Road, West Borland Road.
45	07-May-14	Slamannan Bible and Crown Defenders L.O.L. 227	05-Jul-14	80	21-Jun-14	Pending	7.30 am - Slamannan New Street, Main Street, High Street, Bennie Terrace, Culloch Road, Balcastle Road, Rashiehill Road, Rumlie, Southfield Drive, Balquatstone Crescent, Castlehill Avenue, Rashiehill Road, Bank Street, Blinkbonnie Terrace.

46	07-May-14	Slamannan Bible Crown Defenders L.O.L. 227	05-Jul-14	80	21-Jun-14	Pending	6.30 pm - Slamannan Blinkbonnie Terrace, Bank Street, High Street.
47	08-May-14	Sir William Wallace Grand Lodge of Scotland Free Colliers	02-Aug-14	140	19-Jul-14	Pending	12.00 noon - Braes Area Reddingmuirhead Community Centre, Reddingmuirhead Road, Livingstone Terrace, Redding Cross to memorial, Main Street stopping at Quoit Bar, Main Street, School Road, Redding Road, Laurieston Square, stopping at the Tam Bain, Polmont Road, Westquarter Avenue, Dovecot Road, Woodburn Avenue, Redding Road, Unity Club, Livingstone Terrace, Colliery Road, passing Tesco to Redding Road, Maddiston Road, stopping at Masonic Hall, Maddiston Road, Waggon Road, Wallacestone Brae, Wallacestonemonument stopping for speeches, Wallacestone Brae, Reddingmuirhead Community Centre.
48	09-May-14	Bo'ness Childrens Fair Festival	27-Jun-14	2000	13-Jun-14	Pending	12.00 noon - Bo'ness West end of Stewart Avenue, and Braehead Church Wynd, Seaview Place, North Street, Main Street, Grangepans, Cowdenhill Road, Philpingstone Road, Grange Loan, Harbour Road, Grahamsdyke Road, Dean Road, Douglas Park.
49	12-May-14	Lord Mountbatten memorial L.O.L. 298	28-Jun-14	140	14-Jun-14	Pending	9.30 am Laurieston Assemble at playing fields, Ramsay Avenue, School Road, Boyd Street, Polmont Road, Dundas Road, Grahamsdyke Street, Abbotsford Drive to public park disperse.
50	12-May-14	Lord Mountbatten Memorial L.O.L. 298	28-Jun-14	70	14-Jun-14	Pending	5.00 pm - Laurieston Spinkhill, Keirhardie Avenue, School Road, Boyd Street, Abbotsford Drive, Grahamsdyke Street, Kennilworth Drive, Park Avenue, disperse at public park.

51	12-May-14	Bonnybridge Sons of William Loyal Orange Lodge 211	05-Jul-14	60	21-Jun-14	Pending	4.00 pm - Bonnybridge Foundry Road, Broomhill Road, Bridge Street, High Strret, Dunure Street, Larbert Road, Peathill Road, Masonic Hall.
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**FALKIRK COUNCIL**

**Subject: CIVIC LICENSING ENFORCEMENT – MARCH 2014**  
**Meeting: CIVIC LICENSING COMMITTEE**  
**Date: 29 May 2014**  
**Author: CHIEF GOVERNANCE OFFICER**

**1. INTRODUCTION**

- 1.1 The Licensing Enforcement Officer undertook various aspects of enforcement in March 2014. Details of these are outlined in the following sections of the report.

**2. TAXI/ PRIVATE HIRE CAR CHECKS**

- 2.1 The Licensing Enforcement Officer routinely carries out spot checks of taxis and private hire car vehicles to ensure compliance with licence conditions.

- 2.2 The checks take place at various taxi ranks and other places within the district. The checks consist of a range of items including the following:-

- Id badge/ Licence
- Plates displayed
- Tariff Sheet
- Fire Extinguisher
- First Aid Kit
- Taximeter seal
- No commercial adverts displayed on the vehicle
- No smoking signs displayed
- Taxi roof sign
- Condition of vehicle

- 2.3 In March 2014, 38 taxis and 9 private hire cars were inspected by the Licensing Enforcement Officer. The majority of these checks were found to be in order with the exception of the following matter:-

Taxi Operator 46 – The rear taxi plate was displayed in the window.  
This is a breach of taxi licence condition number 5.

Taxi Operator 482 – The taximeter was running slow.  
This is a breach of taxi licence condition number 32.

Taxi Driver 1828 – The driver was found not to be carrying his taxi driver licence.  
This is a breach of taxi licence condition number 2.

- 2.4 The operators and driver were written to and requested to attend the licensing offices and provide evidence that the matters detailed in paragraph 2.3 had been attended to. They have now fully complied.

### **3. CIVIC LICENSING ENFORCEMENT CHECKS**

- 3.1 During March 2014, the Licensing Enforcement Officer undertook 22 civic licensing compliance checks/enquiries.

- 3.2 The compliance checks/enquiries involved the following civic activities:-

- Late Hours Catering – seven routine checks of licensed premises were carried out to ensure that the licenceholder details were correct and that the licence was being displayed properly. One enquiry was carried out in relation to premises that had changed ownership and this resulted in an application for a new late hours catering licence being submitted.
- Second Hand Dealers – eleven routine checks were carried out to ensure that the licenceholder details were correct, that the licence was being displayed properly and that the register of sales was being kept up to date. Two checks established that two of the second hand car dealers had ceased trading.
- Metal Dealer – one enquiry was carried out into premises buying gold and other precious metals. An application form was subsequently issued to the owner of the premises.
- Skin Piercing & Tattooing – one check of licensed premises was carried out to ensure that the current licenceholder details were correct, that the licence was being properly displayed and to scrutinise the register of customers who have received tattoos/ piercings.
- Public Entertainment – one check of licensed premises was carried out and a certificate of compliance relating to the posting of notice was collected.

- 3.3 In addition to the above, the Licensing Enforcement Officer carried out 2 knowledge tests involving 6 candidates. 11 site notice checks were also carried out.

### **4. CIVIC LICENSING COMPLAINTS**

- 4.1 A complaint was received from a female who alleged that the interior of a taxi had been smelling strongly of smoke. The driver attended at the office and the taxi was inspected and found to be in order. The driver claimed that he had been standing outside his taxi having a smoke prior to the female passenger entering the taxi and that any smell of smoke was probably from his clothing.

- 4.2 A complaint was received from a female wheelchair user alleging that a female taxi driver in the taxi rank Newmarket Street, Falkirk, had refused to take her and her husband as a hire. The female taxi driver was interviewed and claimed that as her taxi is not wheelchair accessible she only asked if a wheelchair accessible taxi, which was in the rank, would not be more suitable. She added that she has previously managed to take wheelchair hires where the wheelchair has been folded into the boot of the taxi. She stated that the couple had moved off before she could say anything else to them. The female taxi driver was written to and reminded of the terms and conditions of her licence and to behave in a civil and proper manner at all times when operating her taxi.
- 4.3 The complainants were advised of the outcomes and were satisfied with the courses of action undertaken.

## **5. RECOMMENDATION**

- 5.1 It is recommended that Members note the contents of this report.

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**Chief Governance Officer**

**Date: 20 May 2014**

**Contact Officer: Bryan Douglas, Licensing Co-ordinator (telephone 501262)**

### **LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS**

None