

Licensing Sub-Committee of the Regulatory Committee

9.30am, Monday, 22 April 2024

Use of Urgency Provision of Standing Orders to Grant Temporary Street Trader's Licence for Clifton Terrace/Grosvenor Street – 24 February 2024

Item number	
Report number	
Executive/routine	
Wards	City centre (11)
Council Commitments	N/A

1. Recommendations

- 1.1 The Licensing Sub-Committee is asked to:
 - 1.1.1 Note that following consultation with the Convener, the relevant Executive Director used the delegation to grant a temporary Street Trader's Licence; and
 - 1.1.2 Note the contents of this report.

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2. Executive Summary

- 2.1 To note that an application for a Street Trader's Licence for 24 February 2024 was received by the Licensing Service on 11 January 2024.
- 2.2 Following consultation with the Convener, the relevant Executive Director used the a delegation within the scheme of delegation grant the licence.

3. Background

- 3.1 Under the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982, a Street Trader's Licence is required for selling goods or services on the street.

4. Main report

- 4.1 An application for a Street Trader's Licence was received on 11 January 2024 and is attached at Appendix 1.
- 4.2 The Roads and Public Safety teams commented on the application (Appendix 2). The comment would normally require a committee hearing to consider.
- 4.3 As there was no planned committee available before the date for which the licence was applied, officers consulted the Convener about whether it was appropriate to use the specific delegation which allows temporary licences to be granted provided the relevant Convener is consulted. Any such decision is required to be reported thereafter to Committee.
- 4.4 An urgent decision was made to grant the licence including standard conditions.

5. Next Steps

- 5.1 Not applicable.

6. Financial impact

6.1 There are no financial implications arising from this report.

7. Stakeholder/Community impact

7.1 The Convener was consulted prior to the use of emergency powers, as required by the Scheme of Delegation.

7.2 The Council's Standing Orders and Scheme of Delegation were used to resolve this issue.

8. Background reading/external references

8.1 None.

9. Appendices

9.1 Appendix 1 – application form

9.2 Appendix 2 – comments from Roads and Public Safety