

**Motherwell, 18 November 2002 at 11 am.**

A Special Meeting of the **GENERAL PURPOSES (LICENSING) SUB-COMMITTEE**

**PRESENT**

Councillor Holloway, Convener; Councillors Barrie, Chadha, Connelly, Devine, Gormill, Heberton and J. Martin.

**CHAIR**

Councillor Holloway (Convener) presided.

**IN ATTENDANCE**

The Administrative Officer; Head of Legal Services; Chief Solicitor (Licensing), and Senior Solicitor (Licensing).

**ALSO IN ATTENDANCE**

Chief Superintendent Buchan and Sergeant. Urban, "N" Division, Strathclyde Police.

**APOLOGIES**

Councillors Cefferty and Love.

**HEARINGS**

**STREET TRADER'S LICENCE - NEW APPLICATIONS**

**(1) JULIA O'BYRNE, 32 ELGIN PLACE, COATBRIDGE**

1. The Head of Legal Services advised (1) that an application by Julia O'Byrne, 32 Elgin Place, Coatbridge for a Street Trader's Licence, to enable her to trade from a static snack van at Rockburn Crescent, Bellshill had been received; (2) that objections to the application had been received from (a) Councillor H. McGuigan, local elected Member; (b) Director of Planning and Environment, and (c) a number of local residents, and (3) that Councillor McGuigan had indicated he was unable to be in attendance.

The Administrative Officer then indicated that Julia O'Byrne was not in attendance.

Thereafter, the Sub-Committee resumed consideration of the matter in Julia O'Byrne's absence.

The Sub-Committee then heard (1) Mr. Craw, Department of Planning and Environment outline the Director of Planning and Environment's objection to the application; (2) Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Curran, Mrs. Leggat and Mrs. Mooney, local residents, outline their objections to the application, and (3) Chief Superintendent Buchan outline the Chief Constable's observations on the application.

Thereafter Mr. Craw, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Curran, Mrs. Leggat and Mrs. Mooney and representatives of the Police withdrew from the meeting and the Sub-Committee resumed consideration of the matter.

Mr. Craw, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Curran, Mrs. Leggat, Mrs. Mooney and representatives of the Police were then re-admitted to the meeting.

**Decided:** that the application by Julia O'Byrne for a Street Trader's Licence be refused.

**(2) ANTHONY MacIVER, 28 MOOREFIELD CRESCENT, AIRDRIE**

2. The Head of Legal Services advised (1) that an application by Anthony MacIver, 28 Moorefield Crescent, Airdrie for a Street Trader's Licence to enable him to trade from a static snack van opposite 64 Alexander Street, Airdrie had been received; (2) that objections to the application had been received from (a) Councillor Sullivan, local elected Member, (b) the Director of Planning and Environment, and (c) a number of local residents; (3) that Councillor Sullivan had indicated that he was unable to be in attendance, and (4) that a late objection to the application had been received from the Chief Constable, Strathclyde Police.

The Administrative Officer then indicated that Anthony MacIver was not in attendance.

Thereafter the Sub-Committee resumed consideration of the matter in Anthony MacIver's absence.

Chief Superintendent Buchan then explained the reason for the representation by the Chief Constable being submitted late.

The Sub-Committee then heard (1) Chief Superintendent Buchan outline the Chief Constable's objection to the application; (2) Mr. McAlpine, Department of Planning and Environment outline the Director of Planning and Environment's objection to the application, and (3) Mr. Boothby, Mr. Duthie, Mr. Lomas and Mr. McDonald, local residents, outline their objections to the application.

Thereafter, Mr. McAlpine, Mr. Boothby, Mr. Duthie, Mr. Lomas and Mr. McDonald and representatives of the Police withdrew from the meeting and the Sub-Committee resumed consideration of the matter.

Mr. McAlpine, Mr. Boothby, Mr. Duthie, Mr. Lomas and Mr. McDonald and representatives of the Police were then re-admitted to the meeting.

**Decided:** that the application by Anthony MacIver for a Street Trader's Licence be refused.

**(3) ANTHONY MacIVER, 28 MOOREFIELD CRESCENT, AIRDRIE**

3. The Head of Legal Services advised (1) that an application by Anthony MacIver, 28 Moorefield Crescent, Airdrie for a Street Trader's Licence to enable him to trade from a static snack van at Calderbank Road, Airdrie had been received; (2) that an objection to the application had been received from Councillor Donnelly, local elected Member; (3) that Councillor Donnelly was unable to be in attendance, and (4) that a late objection had been received from the Chief Constable, Strathclyde Police.

The Administrative Officer then indicated that Anthony MacIver was not in attendance.

Thereafter the Sub-Committee resumed consideration of the matter in Anthony MacIver's absence.

Chief Superintendent Buchan then explained the reason for the representation by the Chief Constable being submitted late.

The Sub-Committee then heard (1) Chief Superintendent Buchan outline the Chief Constable's objection to the application, and (2) Mr. McAlpine, Department of Planning and Environment outline the Director of Planning and Environment's observations on the application.

Thereafter, Mr. McAlpine and representatives of the Police withdrew from the meeting and the Sub-Committee resumed consideration of the matter.

Mr. McAlpine and representatives of the Police were then re-admitted to the meeting.

**Decided:** that the application by Anthony MacIver for a Street Trader's Licence be refused.