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To: Councillors Raymond (Chair), D Coffey, Cree, Weir, Macrae, Wilson, Smith, Menzies, N McGhee, Stewart, Carmichael.

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Dear Councillor

LOCAL GOVERNMENT LICENSING PANEL - 18 MARCH 2004

You are requested to attend a meeting of the **Local Government Licensing Panel** to be held on **THURSDAY 18 MARCH 2004** at **1400 HOURS** in the **MEETING ROOM, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS, LONDON ROAD, KILMARNOCK** to discuss the undernoted business.

Yours sincerely



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Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources
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Members are asked to note that at 1445 hours or immediately following the Local Government Licensing Panel, whichever is the later, there will be an informal meeting with representatives of East Ayrshire Taxi Trade Council (at their request) to allow them to address Panel members on the current policy that by May 2005, all vehicles licensed as taxis must be designed to carry a wheelchair-using passenger in their wheelchair.

B U S I N E S S

INTIMATE APOLOGIES

- 1. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC** - Recommend that the Panel pass the following Resolution:- "That under Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, as amended, the Press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds

that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 of Schedule 7A of the Act”.

2. **APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF A TAXI DRIVER’S LICENCE - SCOTT WEBSTER (pages 1-6)** - Submit report dated 2 March 2004 (copy enclosed) by the Director of Community Services inviting the Panel to consider, by way of a Hearing, an application for the renewal of a Taxi Driver’s Licence. **Report not enclosed - Refer to Exclusion of Press and Public paragraph above.**