

**APPENDIX I**

**EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL**

**LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE**

**MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 26 APRIL 2000 AT  
1000 HOURS IN THE MEETING ROOM, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS, LONDON  
ROAD, KILMARNOCK**

**PRESENT:** Councillors Jimmy Carmichael, Katie Hall, Brian Reeves, Julie Faulds, John Weir, David Macrae, Harry Wilson, William Menzies and Robert Taylor.

**ATTENDING:** William Stafford, Director of Community Services; John F Crawford, Head of Protective Services; Bill Walkinshaw, Principal Administrative Officer; David Mitchell, Principal Solicitor; George Scott, Licensing Officer and Ian Gemmell, Administrative Officer.

**APOLOGIES:** Councillors Ann Hay and Tommy Farrell.

**CHAIR:** Councillor Jimmy Carmichael, Chair.

**HEARING: APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF A PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT  
LICENCE: MELVIN J BENN, HOMELANDS FESTIVAL LTD, LONDON**

1. There was submitted a report dated 12 April 2000 (circulated) by the Director of Community Services which invited the Sub-Committee to consider, by way of a Hearing, an application for the grant of a public entertainment licence.

There was also submitted a letter of objection, undated, received on 1 February 2000 from Mrs J Grierson and letters of objection dated 10 February 2000 and 3 April 2000 from Mr & Mrs L Fulton (both circulated).

The Sub-Committee heard objector Mrs J Grierson, and Agent Mrs A Laird, in explanation of her objections and the applicant, who spoke to the matters raised, all in accordance with the agreed Hearing procedure. Mr & Mrs Fulton were not present.

Chief Inspector J Thomson, representing Strathclyde Police, confirmed that Strathclyde Police had no objection in principle to the application.

Parties then left the meeting to allow the Sub-Committee to take and consider legal advice on the matter.

Parties were then re-admitted.

- 1.1 **Decision**

It was agreed to grant the licence, subject to appropriate conditions to be determined by the Director of Community Services including conditions relating to traffic management in the vicinity of the proposed site.

The meeting terminated at 1032 hours.