



**Inverness, Nairn,
Badenoch & Strathspey
ENTERPRISE**

**APPROVALS LIST
SEPTEMBER 2005**

The following are funds approved up to the last day of the month. Please note that the sums relate to approvals, not payments. While finance may be approved, for a business investment for example, it does not guarantee that the developments will go ahead. The approval simply shows that funds have been made available by LEC/HIE, but they will not be released until evidence is received that the project or activity has gone ahead.

LEC/HIE Funding *EUROPEAN Funding

HIE Network financial assistance for business

Financial assistance to help new and existing businesses expand and develop.

Applicant	Location	Project Description	Funding (£)
Speyside Trust Badaguish Centre	Aviemore	Centre Expansion	#125,000
Aviemore, Badenoch, Strathspey & Cairngorm Marketing	Badenoch & Strathspey	Creation of a Destination Management Organisation for ABSC area	#30,280
Whiteness Property Ltd	Ardersier	Recycling of construction waste at Whiteness Point	#30,000
South Kessock Environmental Co	Inverness	Business Development Plan	#2,400
Gordon Allison Marine	Inverness	Purchase of equipment to produce marine and commercial	#942

HIE Network financial assistance for skills development

Support for organisations wishing to develop new skills.

Applicant	Location	Project Description	Funding (£)
Dawn Gillies	Inverness	SVQ level 2 music and theory	#292.50

HIE Network financial assistance for community projects

Financial support for a wide range of community based projects.

Applicant	Location	Project Description	Funding (£)
Highland Pre-School Services	Inverness	Childcare facilities	#2,731
Kids Zone	Inverness	Internal enhancements at SCY centre	#7,500
Merkinch Community Centre	Inverness	Scoping Study – Merkinch Community Centre	#2,000

Business start-up

Financial support for new business start-ups.

Applicant	Location	Project Description	Grant (£)
Jennifer Cantwell	Inverness	Design and production of sporrans and bags	#3,000
Ralia	Elgin	Food Hygiene course	#600

Other

This section covers any other programme under which funding is awarded.

Applicant	Location	Project Description	Grant (£)
University of the Highlands and Islands	Inverness	Campus development consultant	#19,000