



**Lochaber Enterprise**  
Iomairt Lochabair

**MONTHLY APPROVALS REPORT**  
**SEPTEMBER 2001**

The following are funds approved in the month ended September 2001. Please note that the sums referred to relate to approvals not payments. While finance may be approved for a business investment, for example, it does not guarantee that the project will go ahead. The approval simply shows that Lochaber Enterprise funds have been made available, but they will not be released until evidence has been received that the activity or project has gone ahead.

Lochaber Enterprise also offers confidential business advisory services, free of charge, through Lochaber Business Development Services and the EU Business Audit Schemes. The number of companies assisted in September totalled 32.

**BUSINESS START-UP**

<i>Applicant</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Amount £</i>
David Powell T/A Astrum Technology Torness Gairloch Spean Bridge	Software Development	3,620.00

**KNOWLEDGE, INFORMATION & TELECOMMUNICATION PROJECTS**

<i>Applicant</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Amount £</i>
Station Lodge Tulloch	Website upgrade	253.00
Norfab Fort William	Website upgrade	1,305.00

**NON SECTORAL BUSINESS MARKETING**

<i>Applicant</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Amount £</i>
Mr C McLean Gael Connexions Ardgour	Design costs of new logo and marketing leaflets.	274.95
Mr Cooper Craft & Things Glencoe	Design costs.	110.00

## **ENVIRONMENTAL RENEWAL**

<i>Applicant</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Amount £</i>
Lochaber Enterprise St Mary's House Gordon Square Fort William	Fort William Waterfront site assessment	8,000.00

## **TRAINING DEVELOPMENT**

### *Company Training*

<i>Applicant</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Amount £</i>
BSW Timber (Kilmallie) Sawmill	Annual Training Plan	4,944.00
Sco-Fro (Lochaber) Ltd	Annual Training Plan	4,812.00
M&S Dental Care Centre	Annual Training Plan	1,825.00

## **TRAINING PROJECTS**

<i>Applicant</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Amount £</i>
Lochaber Enterprise	ILM Project Evaluation	2,000.00
Lochaber Enterprise	Modern Apprentice Programme	28,000.00
Lochaber Enterprise	Kinlochleven Paths 1998-2001	750.00
Lochaber Enterprise	Skillseeker Monitoring in Lochaber	1,500.00
LEAD North	LEAD North Project 2002	3,500.00
Training & Guidance Unit	TAG Highland Project 2002	3,000.00

## **SKILLSEEKERS**

<i>Applicant</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Provider</i>