REPORT TO: PLANNING AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
                    4 DECEMBER 2000

REPORT ON: HOGMANAY 2000 FIREWORKS DISPLAY FROM TOP OF THE
                    LAW, DUNDEE

REPORT BY: DIRECTOR OF PLANNING AND TRANSPORTATION

REPORT NO: 666-2000

1   PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1   This report advises Committee of the application to hold a fireworks display on top of the Law on Hogmanay 2000.

2   RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1   The Committee is asked to grant permission to close that section of Law Road leading to the sumit of the Law under Section 62 of the Roads Scotland Act 1984 to enable the Council to facilitate a fireworks display as described in this report and subject to the conditions stated.

3   FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1   Advertising costs will be met by the appropriate department.

3.2   The Director of Finance will require satisfactory confirmation of insurance and indemnity provisions.

4   LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATIONS

4.1   There are no Local Agenda 21 implications arising from this.

5   EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS

5.1   This event is open to all members of the public.

6   BACKGROUND

6.1   Dundee City Council will hold a fireworks display from the top of the Law, Dundee to celebrate Hogmanay 2000.

6.2   To allow this event to be carried out safely pedestrian and vehicular access to the Law will be prohibited both during the event and also during the setting up and taking down of the pyrotechnic equipment.

6.3   To allow for setting up and taking down, the road closures will be required from 6.00am on Sunday 31 December 2000 until 6.00am on Monday 1 January 2001.

7   CONSULTATIONS

7.1   The Chief Constable has been consulted in the preparation of this report and intimates that any additional policing costs should be the subject of discussion and agreement with the applicant.

7.2   Public Transport Operators have been consulted and temporary routes agreed.

8   BACKGROUND PAPERS

8.1   Nil.

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