Decision number: 048/2022/HCDLC/459

IN THE MATTER of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by Timothy James Newman pursuant to s.224 of the Act for a renewal of a manager's certificate

BEFORE THE HUTT CITY DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

This is an application by Timothy James Newman for a renewal of a manager's certificate.

The application was duly notified and no opposition or notice of desire to be heard has been received. Accordingly I deal with the matter on the papers.

Pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012, the application by Timothy James Newman for a renewal of a manager's certificate is **granted**.

I am satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s.224 of the Act.

STATUTORY CRITERIA

Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

224 Application for renewal of manager's certificates

- (1) The holder of a manager's certificate may apply in accordance with this section for the renewal of the certificate.
- (2) Every application for the renewal of a manager's certificate must
 - (a) be filed with—
 - (i) the licensing committee for the district in which the applicant is presently employed as a manager; or
 - (ii) if the applicant is no longer employed as a manager, the licensing committee for the district in which the applicant is residing; and
 - (b) be made before the date of the expiry of the certificate;

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- (c) be made in the prescribed form and manner; and
- (d) contain the prescribed particulars; and
- be accompanied by the prescribed fee. (e)

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

I have considered this application on the basis of the reports received from Police and an Inspector appointed under the Act who do not oppose the issue of the application. In addition no objections have been raised.

In making this decision I note that the Police initially opposed this application. Their opposition was withdrawn after discussion, and agreement that renewal would be for a truncated period of 18 months. In essence, the applicant should consider that he is 'on watch' on the grounds of suitability to hold a manager's certificate and the DLC expects no more incidents of the kind that initially raised Police concerns.

DECISION

The District Licensing Committee Chair, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply Of Alcohol Act 2012 grants an application by Timothy James Newman for a renewal of a manager's certificate.

The certificate expires on 27 May 2024 unless again renewed.

DATED at LOWER HUTT this 30th day of November 2022

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Granted by: Simon Edwards

Chair

Melissa Grace Digitally signed by Melissa Grace Harward Date: 2022.12.02 Harward

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Approved by: Melissa Harward

Secretary