

Decision number: 048/2022/HCDLC/058

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

**AND**

**IN THE MATTER** of an application by Sukhraj  
Singh 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 Sukhraj Singh 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 Sukhraj Singh 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;

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

### **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.

### **DECISION**

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

The holder of this manager's certificate has provided an undertaking stating that he will not use the manager's certificate unless a current work visa is held. Should he be issued a further work visa, a copy will be provided to the NZ Police and the District Licensing Committee. Furthermore, the applicant has also provided an undertaking stating that this Certificate will only be used at the licenced premises known as "Merchants Liquor" at 313 Jackson Street, Petone, Lower Hutt.

The certificate expires on 24 January 2028 unless again renewed.

**DATED** at LOWER HUTT this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February 2025.



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**Granted by:** Simon Edwards  
**Chair**



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**Approved by:** Bradley Cato  
**Secretary**

