

IN THE MATTER

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 (the Act)

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by **CELYN TELERI WILLIAMS** pursuant to s.219 of the Act for a Manager's Certificate

BEFORE THE GREY DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

This is an application by Celyn Teleri WILLIAMS for a manager's certificate to manage licensed premises known as the "Ashely Hotel", Greymouth.

Pursuant to s222 of the Act this application is to be considered under the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 and by the District Licensing Committee.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The applicant holds the required Licence Controller Qualification and is employed on licensed premises. She was the holder of a managers certificate with the McKenzie District Council, which expired on 6 March 2026.

No matters of concern were raised by the McKenzie District Council Licensing Inspector regarding the applicant.

The Licensing Inspector outlines in her report the applicant's experience in controlling licensed premises and has tested the applicant's understanding of her responsibilities as a manager. She does not oppose the application, however seeks an undertaking from the applicant regarding her work visa expiry of 6 January 2027.

An undertaking has been signed by the applicant on 23 April 2026 stating she will not use her licence beyond her visa expiry of 6 January 2027 unless she provides a copy of her extended or new working visa to this Committee before that date.

The applicant's employer is supportive of her application.

The New Zealand Police do not oppose the granting of the application.

Accordingly, the application is dealt with on the papers.

DECISION

The application and supporting information satisfies the committee that the criteria it must have regard to, as set out in s222 of the Act, have been met.

The District Licensing Committee Chairperson, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 **grants** an application by Celyn Teleri WILLIAMS for a Manager's Certificate.

It shall be recorded on the certificate **UNDERTAKING GIVEN refer decision of the Grey District Licensing Committee GREYDLC 043/2026**

The Certificate is valid for twelve months from the date the certificate is issued.

DATED at GREYMOUTH this 6th day of May 2026



Rachel M van der Geest
Chairperson/Commissioner