

Decision No. GREYDLC 105/2021

IN THE MATTER

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

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by **IDAWAY HOLDINGS LIMITED** for the renewal of an Off Licence pursuant to s.127 of the Act in respect of premises situated at 26 Hart Street, Blackball known as "Formerly the Blackball Hilton"

BEFORE THE GREY DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

This is an application by Idaway Holdings Limited for a renewal of an Off Licence in respect of premises situated 26 Hart Street, Blackball known as "Formerly the Blackball Hilton."

The applicant seeks the following days and hours: Monday to Sunday 10am to 10pm.

These hours are within the default national maximum trading hours for an off-licence of 7am to 11pm. There is no Grey District Local Alcohol Policy in place.

The principle business carried out upon the premise is that of a Hotel and Restaurant.

The application was notified on the Council website and no objections were received from the public.

The main principal entrance is from the front door that leads onto the footpath on Hart Street.

DECISION

The District Licensing Committee Chairperson, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012, **grants** an application by Idaway Holdings Limited for an Off Licence pursuant to s.127 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012, in respect of premises situated at 26 Hart Street, Blackball known as "Formerly The Blackball Hilton" subject to conditions set out below.

CONDITIONS OF LICENCE

1. Alcohol may be sold over the bar for consumption off the premises between
Seven days per week 10am and 10pm.
2. No alcohol is to be sold on the premises on Good Friday, Easter Sunday, Christmas Day or before 1pm on Anzac Day.

3. The bar premise area is to be designated as a supervised area.
4. A properly appointed certificated or Acting or Temporary Manager must be on duty at all times, within the licensed area, when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol and their full name must be on a sign prominently displayed in the premises.
5. The following other steps must be taken to promote the responsible consumption of alcohol:
 - a. All service staff must be trained in their responsibilities under the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012.
 - b. Evidence of age documents will be requested where appropriate.
 - c. The Licensee must ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the sale and supply of alcohol to minors and intoxicated persons are observed, and signage displayed detailing restrictions on the sale and supply of alcohol to such persons.
6. The Licensee must ensure the following items are prominently displayed:
 - a. A sign at each principal entrance to the premises, so as to be easily read by patrons, stating the ordinary hours of business during which the premises will be open for sale of alcohol.
 - b. A copy of the licence, and of the conditions of the licence, attached to the premises so as to be easily read by persons attending the premise.

The premise licence area is as set out on the plan submitted with the application and date stamped 03 August 2021. A note to this effect is to be made on the licence.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

Neither the New Zealand Police nor the Licensing Inspector or Medical Officer of Health express any concern about the suitability of the applicant, nor do they oppose the granting of the application. No undertakings are sought by the agencies.

Accordingly the application is dealt with on the papers.

In the opinion of the licensing inspector the applicant has run the premises over many years without incident. There are no issues with the design and layout of the premises in regard to minimising potential harm and/or ensuring a safe environment for patrons.

The committee is satisfied as to the matters that it must have regard to as set out in sections 105,106 and 131 of the Act, for which an off licence may be issued in pursuant to section 32 of the Act

DATED at GREYMOUTH this 16th day of September 2021



Rachel M Van der Geest
Chairperson/Commissioner

