

Decision No. GREYDLC061/2021

IN THE MATTER

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

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by **AHAURA HOTEL LIMITED** for the renewal of an On Licence pursuant to 127 of the Act in respect of premises situated at 3344 State Highway 7, Ahaura known as the "Ahaura Hotel"

BEFORE THE GREY DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

Ahaura Hotel Limited has applied for a renewal of an On Licence situated at 3344 State Highway 7 Ahaura known as the Ahaura Hotel.

The premises hold an On-Licence No 55/ON/45/2017.

The applicant is a Private Company Incorporated on 23 January 2017 with Company number 6215107, the directors and shareholders are Amanda Jane and William John Hodgetts.

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.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The applicant has been operating for 4 years and have not come to the notice of the reporting agencies.

The application was advertised and no objection or notice of desire to be heard has been received. The Committee has received a report on the application from the Grey District Council Liquor Inspector with no objections.

There were no objections received from the Police or Medical Officer of Health and no undertakings are sought by the agencies.

The Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 sets out the considerations which must be taken by the District Licensing Committee, when considering any application for a licence to sell alcohol.

There is no evidence before the Committee which would suggest that the applicant would manage the premises in any way which would contravene the requirements of the Act.

I am satisfied that after reviewing the application with respect to the section 105 considerations, that the application for a renewal on-licence should be approved.

Accordingly, I will deal with the matter on the papers.

DECISION

The District Licensing Committee Chairperson, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012, **grants** an application by Ahaura Hotel Ltd for a renewal of an ON licence for the premises at 3344 State Highway 7 Ahaura , know as the "Ahaura Hotel".

CONDITIONS

1. Alcohol may be sold or supplied for consumption on the premises only on the following days and during the following hours:

Monday to Sunday 11am to 3am the following day

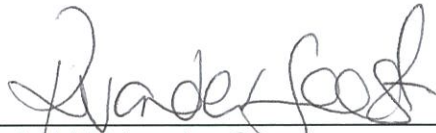
2. No alcohol is to be sold or supplied on Good Friday, Easter Sunday, Christmas Day or before 1.00pm on ANZAC Day to any person other than persons who are present on the premise for the purpose of dining.
3. The premises bar out to the beer garden area is designated as supervised area with the dining room undesignated as per plan provided.
4. The licensee must have available for consumption on the premises, at all times when the premises are open for the sale of alcohol a reasonable range of non-alcoholic refreshments.
5. Potable drinking water must be available free for patrons at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol.
6. Low-alcohol beverages must be available for sale and supply on the premises.
7. Food must be available for consumption on the premises at all times the premises is open for the sale of alcohol, in accordance with the example menu submitted with the application for this licence, or menu variations of a similar range and standard.
8. A courtesy car to be available to take patrons home or information, advice and assistance must be provided to patrons on alternative transport.
9. 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 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.
10. The Licensee must ensure the following items are prominently displayed:
 - a. A sign at the premises, so as to be easily read by patrons, stating the ordinary hours of business during which the premises will be open to 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 premises.
- c. A sign prominently displayed at the premises, which identifies by which name the manager for the time being on duty.

11. Payment of the fee prescribed under the Sale and Supply of Alcohol (Fees) Regulations 2013.

The premises are as set out on the plan submitted with the application and date stamped 17 May 2021. A note to this effect is to be made on the licence.

DATED at GREYMOUTH this 24th day of June 2021.



Rachel M Van der Geest
Chairperson/Commissioner

