

Decision No. GREYDLC120/2019

IN THE MATTER

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

AND

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of an application by the **SUPERBRAIN PRODUCTIONZ LIMITED** pursuant to s.138 of the Act for an on-site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at 70 Mawhera Quay, Greymouth known as “the town square”

BEFORE THE GREY DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

Superbrain Productionz Limited has made application for a special licence to sell and supply alcohol at 70 Mawhera Quay, Greymouth, more commonly known as the “town square” to be held on Saturday 23 November 2019.

The event is being described as the “Loud Mouth Performing Arts Festival” music festival with proposed hours of 3pm – 11pm.

Estimated number anticipated will be approximately 100- 400 people with probable age distribution of 18 plus years old with area being classed as restricted with ID being required before entrance.

The main principle entrance way to the premises is from the Tainui Shared Street which will also be closed for this event.

The Licensee is a company with shareholders being Jamie Lorene Mosher and Cary Lee Lancaster who have experienced management on board from the Regent Theatre/Ferraris Bar who will provide experienced bar staff for this event.

Security will be manning the premises and controlling egress and exit.

Food stalls will be open throughout the event.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The applicant has undertaken in their application to provide the following measures with regard to responsible sales or supply of alcohol and that harm will be minimised:

- Substantive food from nearby food stalls will be available throughout the event.
- Free water will be available at no charge throughout the event with signage to show where.
- Non alcoholic and low alcoholic beverages will be available.

The premise area will be fenced off and easily monitored throughout the licensed hours.

It is noted that the certified bar manager will hold full authority for the management and monitoring of alcohol consumption. The holder of this Special licence will defer to the bar manager should intervention be required.

The Inspector's report indicates that the amenity and good order of the locality will not be adversely affected by more than a minor extent, noise is to be monitored by members throughout the events.

The application was not required to be publicly notified and no opposition or notice of desire to be heard has been received. Accordingly I deal with the matter on the papers.

The Police and Medical Officer of Health raise no matters in opposition.

I am satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s.142 of the Act.

DECISION

The Grey District Licensing Committee Chairman, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 grants an application by Superbrain Productionz Limited for an on-site Special Licence for premises situated at 70 Mawhera Quay Greymouth in support of the Loud Mouth Performing Arts Festival and subject to the following conditions:

Conditions:

1. Alcohol may be sold under the licence only on the following days during the hours:
Saturday 23 November 2019 – 3pm to 11pm
2. The premise area be classed as restricted for the licence period and is shown on the plan attached to this licence.
3. The premise area must be clearly defined with perimeter fencing.
4. The perimeter is to be securely fenced and patrolled and no alcohol is to be permitted to be removed from the premise area.
5. A dedicated certificated manager must be on duty within the premise area at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol.
6. The licensee must display signage as follows:
 - a. At every point of sale detailing restriction on the sale and supply of alcohol to minors and intoxicated persons;
 - b. A copy of the licence attached to the premises so as to be easily read by persons attending the premises; and
 - c. A sign prominently displayed at the premises, which identifies by name the manager for the time being on duty.
7. The licensee must have available for consumption on the premises, at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol, a reasonable range of non-alcoholic and low-alcoholic beverages.
8. Food must be available for consumption on the premises.

9. Drinking water is to be provided free of charge from a water supply prominently situated on the premises.
10. The licensee must provide information, advice and assistance about alternative forms of transport available to patrons from the licenced premises.
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 8 October 2019. A note to this effect is to be made on the licence.

DATED at GREYMOUTH this 7 day of November 2019



Alan T O'Connell
Chairman/Commissioner

