

**Decision No. 60B [2016] 479**

**IN THE MATTER**

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

**AND**

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of an application by **PARKLANDS SUPERMARKET LIMITED** for the renewal of an OFF-License pursuant to s.127(2) of the Act in respect of premises situated at **60 Queenspark Drive, Christchurch** and known as "**Fresh Choice Parklands**".

**CHRISTCHURCH DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE:**

Chairman: A J Lawn

**MINUTE**

This is an opposed application for the renewal of an off-licence for a supermarket.

In his report to the Committee the Alcohol Licensing Inspector recommends that the application is adjourned until the outcome of an appeal to the Court of Appeal of the case known commonly as the *Vaudrey* decision, *Christchurch Medical Officer of Health and J & G Vaudrey Limited and Ors* CIV-2015-409-000098 NZHC 2749.

The Alcohol Regulatory and Licensing Authority issued a section 172 practice direction in October 2014 asking District Licensing Committees to refrain from determining applications for supermarket renewals until the appeals have been dealt with. This practice direction was reiterated to Committees after the Authority decision was appealed to the High Court and subsequently to the Court of Appeal.

As the applicant is not prejudiced by an adjournment of the hearing into this matter the hearing is adjourned sine die until the appeal matter is finally completed.

When the matter is completed the Committee will call for new reports from the agencies and make a decision on how the application will be disposed of after that.

The application is adjourned.

**DATED** at CHRISTCHURCH this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March 2016.



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A J Lawn  
Chairman  
**Christchurch District Licensing Committee**