

Decision Number 60C [2014] 1110

IN THE MATTER of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by Lion Liquor Retail Ltd for renewal of an Off Licence for premises known as Liquor King Bush Inn situated at 340 Riccarton Road, Christchurch.

DECISION OF THE CHRISTCHURCH DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

This is an application by Lion Liquor Retail Ltd for renewal of an Off Licence for premises known as Lion King Bush Inn situated at 340 Riccarton Road, Christchurch. The nature of the premises is that of a bottle store. The applicant seeks a renewal under existing conditions but is reminded that s132 of the Act requires a condition relating to the supply of drinking water where free samples of alcohol are provided.

A waiver is sought under s208 with respect to the application being lodged outside the timelines set out in s127(2)(b). This is granted.

The application has been duly notified and no public objection or notice of desire to be heard has been received. No matters have been raised in opposition in any reports required by s103(1). Accordingly I deal with the matter on the papers.

I am satisfied as to the matters to which I must have regard as required by s131 and I grant the application for renewal of the Off Licence pursuant to s130(1) for a period of three years. The licence will not issue until all clearances have been received. The licence may issue on payment of the annual fee payable in accordance with regulation 15 of the Sale of Alcohol (Fees) Regulations 2013.

Compulsory Conditions – s116(2)

- (a) No alcohol is to be sold or delivered on Good Friday, Easter Sunday, Christmas Day or before 1 pm on Anzac Day.
- (b) Alcohol may only be sold or delivered on the following days and during the following hours –
 - Monday to Sunday 8 am to 11 pm
- (c) Drinking water is to be freely available on the premises to customers when alcohol is being supplied free as a sample on the premises.

Discretionary Conditions – s116(1)

- (a) The following steps must be taken to ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the sale and supply of alcohol to prohibited persons are observed:
- Display of appropriate signs adjacent to every point of sale detailing the statutory restrictions on the sale of alcohol to minors and the complete prohibition on sales to intoxicated persons.
- (b) The following steps must be taken to ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the management of the premises are observed:
- Alcohol must only be sold or supplied within the area marked on the plan submitted with the application.
- (c) The whole of the premises is designated as a supervised area.

Other restrictions and requirements to be noted on the licence

s57 Display of licences

s59 Requirements relating to remote sales by holders of Off Licences

s214 Manager to be on duty at all times and responsible for compliance

DATED at Christchurch this 26th day of May 2014

A handwritten signature in black ink on a light blue background. The signature is cursive and appears to read 'Raymond'.

Chairman
Christchurch District Licensing Committee