

**Decision** MGR775

IN THE MATTER of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol

Act 2012

**AND** of an application by

**IN THE MATTER** Stephen William Waters for a

manager's certificate pursuant to

section 219 of the Act

## **DECISION OF THE DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

- 1. The application for a manager's certificate is granted. The manager's certificate may issue immediately.
- 2. The manager's certificate shall continue in force until the close of the period of the day 12 months after the day it is issued.

## **REASONS**

- 1. Stephen William Waters is currently working on a licensed premises and has applied for a manager's certificate.
- 2. The Liquor Licensing Inspector and Police have provided reports and do not object to the application (s 220). Accordingly, this application is decided on the papers (s 202).
- 3. In considering an application for a manager's certificate the licensing committee must consider the following questions (s 222):
  - a) Is the applicant suitable to be a manager?
  - b) Have any convictions been recorded against the applicant?
  - c) Does the applicant have any recent experience in controlling any premises for which a licence was in force?
  - d) Has the applicant undertaken appropriate training and completed relevant qualifications under section 218?
  - d) Have the Inspector and Police raised any relevant matters in their reports?

## Should the manager's certificate be granted?

4. The licensing committee is satisfied that Stephen William Waters is a suitable person to hold a manager's certificate because he has appropriate training, qualifications and experience and is of good character. Therefore, the manager's certificate is granted.

## Dated this 25th day of September 2023

Tegan McIntyre Commissioner

Waitomo District Licensing Committee