

# Horowhenua District Licensing Committee Uncontested Applications Decision

# **Authority**

The functions, powers and duties as the District Licensing Committee is delegated to the committee chairperson where no objection has been filed, and no matters of opposition have been raised by the Police and Inspector, in respect of the following applications:

an application for the issue of a Managers Certificate – Hayley Jane Smith

# **Statutory Provisions**

- Section 191(2) of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 (The Act)
- Council resolution dated 4 December 2013
- There is no Local Alcohol Policy in place.

# **Summary of Evidence**

Reports from Police do not oppose the issue of the application. Council's Liquor Licensing Inspector outlined concerns regarding the applicant's lack of recent, relevant experience working in a licensed premises. However, the Inspector noted that the applicant teaches the Licensed Controllers Qualification and has an excellent knowledge of the Act. Based on the information provided to me on the complete files, I have determined not to convene a public hearing.

### **Evaluation of Evidence**

I have considered this application on the basis of the reports received where no objections have been raised, and noted that there have also been no public objection. In considering whether to issue a Managers Certificate I have also considered the criteria set out in Section 222 of the Act.

### **Decision and Reasons**

All reports are satisfactory and no objections have been raised to the issue of the Managers Certificate. I therefore conclude there is no reason not to grant this application.

Therefore I determine that the application be granted as follows by way of Decision Number 101/2017, subject to the applicant signing an undertaking to only use the certificate on the premises at her current place of employment – Horowhenua Learning Centre.

Applicant Certificate Number Comment
Hayley Jane Smith 40/CERT/012/2017 New

Name: R.J. Brannigan
Signature:

Date: 20/07/17