

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

of an application by **A&J Hospitality Limited** for an on-licence pursuant to s.99 of the Act in respect of premises situated at **57 Fox Street, Featherston** known as "**The Garrison Cafe & Bar**"

BEFORE THE South Wairarapa District Licensing Committee

Chairperson: Julie Riddell

DECISION

This is an application by **A&J Hospitality Limited** for an on-licence in respect of premises situated at **57 Fox Street, Featherston**, known as "**The Garrison Cafe & Bar**"

The general nature of the business to be undertaken is that of a **restaurant**.

The application was duly advertised and no objection or notice of desire to be heard has been received. Accordingly we deal with the matter on the papers.

We are satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s.105 of the Act and we grant the applicant an on-licence authorising the sale and supply of liquor for consumption on the premises, to any person who is present on the premises, subject to the following conditions:

CONDITIONS:

- (a) No alcohol is to be sold, supplied or consumed on Good Friday, Easter Sunday, Christmas Day or before 1:00 pm on Anzac Day to any person unless:
 - they are people who are present on the premises to dine
- (b) Alcohol may only be available for sale, supply or consumption on the following days and during the following hours:

Monday to Sunday between 11:00am to 1:00am the following day
- (c) Drinking water is to be provided to patrons free of charge from a water supply prominently situated on the premises at all times that alcohol is available for sale, supply and consumption.
- (d) Food must be available for consumption on the premises at all times the premises are open for the sale, supply and consumption of alcohol, in accordance with the menu supplied with the application for this licence or menu variations of a similar range and standard. Menus must be visible, and food should be actively promoted.
- (e) The following steps must be taken to promote the responsible consumption of alcohol:
 - Implement and maintain the Host Responsibility Policy submitted with the application for the licence.
 - At all times when the premises are open for the sale, supply or consumption of alcohol, a reasonable range of non-alcoholic refreshments and low-alcohol options are available.
 - The Licensee must ensure that signs are prominently displayed within the licensed premises detailing the availability of assistance and information regarding alternative forms of transport from the premises.
 - The licensee must implement and maintain steps proposed in the application for the licence aimed at promoting the responsible consumption of alcohol.
- (f) the following steps must be taken to ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the sale of alcohol to prohibited persons are observed:
 - A restriction of sale or supply of alcohol to persons under the age of 18 years of age.
 - Display of appropriate signs adjacent to every point of sale detailing the statutory restrictions on the supply of alcohol to minors and the complete prohibition on sales to intoxicated persons.
- (g) the designation of the premises is defined as –
 - Main bar area
 - Supervised 11:00am to 1:00am
 - Function room
 - Undesignated until 11:00am 8:00pm
 - Supervised 8:00pm to 1:00am
 - Garden bar
 - Supervised 11:00am to 1:00am
 - Restaurant and co working space (ex gaming room)
 - Undesignated 11:00am to 1:00am

- (h) The licensee must ensure that at all times a copy of the licence, together with a statement of all conditions subject to which it is issued, is displayed at the principal entrance so as to be easily read by people using the premises.
- (i) The holder of a manager's certificate or a properly notified manager shall be on duty and on the premises at all times alcohol is available for sale, supply and consumption.
- (j) A telephone must be freely available for customers to call for transport & staff must assist if required. Telephone numbers for alternative forms of transport from the premises must be displayed.

REASON FOR DECISION:

I have considered this application on the basis of the reports received from the Alcohol Licensing Inspector, the Police and the Medical Officer of Health, who do not oppose the issue of the licence. In addition no public objections have been received by the District Licensing Committee.

The South Wairarapa District Licensing Committee Chair, acting pursuant to s.99 of the Act, therefore accordingly grants the new ON Licence to A & J Hospitality Limited, subject to the above Conditions (a) – (j).

The applicant's attention is drawn to ss.56, 57 and 214 (3) of the Act obliging the holder of an on-licence to display:-

1. At each principal entrance to the premises a sign attached to the inside or outside of the premises, so as to be easily read by people immediately outside the entrance, stating the ordinary hours of business during which the premises will be open for the sale of alcohol; AND
2. A copy of the licence, and of the conditions of the licence, attached to the interior of the premises so as to be easily read by persons entering through each principal entrance; AND
3. A sign prominently displayed inside the premises, which identifies by name the manager for the time being on duty.

THE LICENSED PREMISES

The premises, situated at **57 Fox Street, Featherston** are more precisely identified in a plan received by the South Wairarapa District Licensing Committee **28th February 2020**.

DATED at Martinborough this **26th day of March 2020**



Julie Riddell
Chairperson
South Wairarapa District Licensing Committee