

IN THE MATTER

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol
Act 2012 (the Act)

AND

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of an application by **UNIVERSAL
MOTELS LIMITED** for the grant of
an ON Licence pursuant to s.100
of the Act in respect of premises
situated at 79 Princes Street,
Putaruru, known as '**PUTARURU
HOTEL**'.

BEFORE THE SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

1. In September 2023, **UNIVERSAL MOTELS LIMITED** applied for the grant of an ON Licence in respect of premises situated at 79 Princes Street, Putaruru, known as '**PUTARURU HOTEL**'.
2. The application quickly drew opposition from the agencies as it was incomplete, and the purchasers had no previous experience in running licensed premises.
3. Since that date, despite numerous attempts to assist the applicants, the application has not been advanced.

The Decision

The South Waikato District Licensing Committee now declares the application to be abandoned, and it can be filed forthwith.

DATED at TOKOROA this 3rd day of July 2025



Murray Clearwater
Commissioner
For the South Waikato District Licensing Committee