(17/SP/031/2016)

IN THE MATTER of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol

Act 2012 (The Act)

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by Putaruru

Bowling Club Inc. pursuant to s138 of The Act for an On Site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at 94 – 98 Arapuni Street

Putaruru known as Putaruru

Bowling Club.

BEFORE THE SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON

THE APPLICATION

Putaruru Bowling Club Inc applies for an on-site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at 94 – 98 Arapuni Street Putaruru known as Putaruru Bowling Club.

The Putaruru Bowling Club has previously obtained and conducted events pursuant to a Special Licence without any subsequent problems/issues arising.

The proposed event is for a 21st Birthday Party on Saturday 20th February 2016 from 8:00pm to 12:00am (Midnight).

Alcohol will be sold from the bar and consumed within the clubrooms.

The applicant has provided a list of food and alcohol, low alcohol and non-alcoholic refreshments. Free drinking water will be readily available at the bar.

The applicant has indicated that there will be two certified manager's present.

The Putaruru Bowling Club President will be present to assist with monitoring to ensure that people are not becoming intoxicated; these individuals will also check ID as to ensure that underage attendees are not being served.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The applicant has previously operated Special Licences without incident.

Food and free water will be available throughout the event.

The comprehensive report of the Inspector indicates that the amenity and good order of the locality will not be adversely affected by more than a minor extent.

The application was not required to be publicly notified and no opposition or notice of desire to be heard has been received. Accordingly I deal with the matter on the papers.

Neither the Police nor the Medical Officer of Health raises any matters in opposition.

The South Waikato District Council does not currently have a Local Alcohol Policy.

I am satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s. 105 & 142 of the Act.

DECISION

The District Licensing Committee Chairperson, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 grants the applications by the Putaruru Bowling Club for an on-site Special Licence (17/SP/031/2016) in respect of premises situated at 94 – 98 Arapuni Street Putaruru known as "Putaruru Bowling Club" subject to the following conditions.

CONDITIONS

Alcohol may be sold and supplied under the licence only on the following days and during the following hours:

- The entire premises shall be designated "Supervised" between the hours of 8:00pm and 9:00pm and "Restricted" from 9:00pm till 12:00am (midnight).
- The premises shall be vacated within 30 minutes of designated closing time, that being 12:30am.

DATED at TOKOROA this 19th day of February 2016

Jenny Shattock QSM JP

Chairperson

South Waikato District Licensing Committee