

APPLICANT 17/CERT/024/2015

IN THE MATTER of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 (The Act)

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by Kelly Lorraine Hickford pursuant to s224 of The Act for the renewal of her manager's certificate.

BEFORE THE SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT LICENSING CHAIRPERSON

APPLICATION

This is an application by Kelly Lorraine Hickford for renewal of her manager's certificate in accordance with s224 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

Kelly Lorraine Hickford first acquired her Manager's Certificate in 2011 when she was employed by Countdown Tokoroa. Ms Hickford continues to be employed at the same premises.

Ms Hickford has over 8 years of experience working in a Supermarket environment where alcohol is sold and supplied. It appears that Ms Hickford has worked extremely hard over the past 8 years working her way up to a more senior position and now managing the liquor department is one of her duties.

Ms Hickford has completed as required under the new Act (Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012) a Licence Controller Qualification Bridging Test.

Neither the New Zealand Police nor the Licensing Inspector express any concern about the suitability of the applicant nor do they oppose the granting of the licence renewal application.

No undertakings are sought by the agencies.

DECISION

Under s224 the application and supporting information satisfies the Chairperson that the criteria we must have regard to as set out in s.227 of the Act have been met.

The District Licensing Committee Chairperson, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 **grants** an application by Kelly Lorraine Hickford for renewal of her Manager's Certificate. (17/CERT/024/2015)

The certificate is valid for a period of thirty six months from the date the certificate is issued.

DATED at TOKOROA this 10th day of January 2016.



Jenny Shattock QSM JP
Chairperson
South Waikato District Licensing Committee