APPLICANT

17/CERT/033/2016

IN THE MATTER

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

(The Act)

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by Gregory Pearce pursuant to s224 of The Act for the renewal of his manager's certificate.

BEFORE THE SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT LICENSING CHAIRPERSON

Jeff Gash JP

APPLICATION

- 1) This is an application by Gregory Pearce for the renewal of a manager's certificate in accordance with section 224 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012.
- 2) Gregory Pearce has held his manager's certificate since the year 2013.
- 3) Mr Pearce is a member of the Southern United Rugby Club in Tokoroa.
- 4) Mr Pearce completed his Licensed Controller Qualification in November 2011.
- 5) Mr Pearce is also a volunteer Fireman and has historically worked on an off-licence premises.
- 6) Police do not oppose the application.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

- 1) Gregory Pearce completed his Licensed Controller Qualification in November 2011.
- 2) Mr has held his manager's licence since 2013.
- 3) The Licensing Inspector has provided a report outlining the applicant's suitability and experience.
- 4) 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 application.
- 5) Mr Pearce has held his manager's licence for 3 years and it is reasonable to assume that he has gained the appropriate training and experience over these years.

DECISION

- 6) 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.
- 7) The District Licensing Committee Chairperson, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 **grants** an application by Gregory Pearce for the renewal of a Manager's Certificate (17/CERT/033/2016).

The certificate is valid for a period of three years from the date the certificate is issued.

DATED at TOKOROA this 8th day of November 2016

Jeff Gash JP Chairperson

South Waikato District Licensing Committee