

**APPLICANT** 17/CERT/071/2016  
**IN THE MATTER** of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012  
(The Act)  
**AND**  
**IN THE MATTER** of an application by Gilbert Lawrence  
pursuant to s224 of The Act for a Renewal  
of manager's certificate.

**BEFORE THE SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT LICENSING CHAIRPERSON**

**APPLICATION**

This is an application by Gilbert Lawrence for a Renewal of Manager's Certificate in accordance with section 224 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012.

The applicant has submitted a copy of his Licence Controller qualification course certificate and NZQA Unit 4646 as well as Unit 16705.

Mr Lawrence has held his managers certificate for over one year.

Mr Lawrence has been working for Sweet Rose Espresso Café for over one year.

**REASONS FOR THE DECISION**

The applicant holds the Licence Controller Qualification.

The Licensing Inspector has provided a report outlining the applicant's suitability and experience in controlling licensed premises and has tested their understanding of their responsibilities as a manager.

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.

No undertakings are sought by the agencies.

**DECISION**

The application and supporting information satisfies the Chairperson and 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** Gilbert Lawrence a Renewal of Managers Certificate.

The certificate is valid for three (3) years.

**DATED** at TOKOROA this 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2017



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Jeff Gash JP  
**Chairperson**  
**South Waikato District Licensing Committee**