

Decision number: 17/SP/016/2020

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

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by **Rebekah
GARNER (“the licensee”)**
pursuant to s138
of the Act for
an on-site Special
Licence in respect of
premises situated
at State Highway 1, Lichfield
and known as the
**PUTARURU TIMBER
MUSEUM.**

BEFORE THE SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

THE APPLICATION

Rebekah GARNER (“the licensee”) applies for an on-site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at State Highway 1, Lichfield and known as the **PUTARURU TIMBER MUSEUM.**

The event is an electronic music festival called “Electric Timber Festival 2021” and up to 1000 persons are expected to attend. The event will be at a ‘secret location’ and all attendees will be bussed to and from the site.

The day and hours sought are:

Saturday the 20th of February 2021 from 2.00pm to 12 midnight with alcohol sales ceasing at 11.00pm

Substantive food and low alcohol and non-alcoholic beverages will be available at all times. At least 4 food trucks will be operating throughout the event.

A certificated manager and qualified security will oversee the sale, supply and consumption of alcohol.

THE REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The Inspector has provided a report on the application and believes the application meets the criteria for issue.

A certificated manager and experienced bar staff will also be overseeing the sale, supply and consumption of alcohol at this function.

The site will be fully fenced and patrolled, and a designation of **Restricted Area** will apply

Neither the reports of the Police nor that of the Medical Officer of Health raises any matters in opposition subject to an agreed suite of conditions being applied to the event.

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

DECISION

The District Licensing Committee, pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 **grants** the application by **Rebekah GARNER** (“**the licensee**”) for an on-site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at State Highway 1, Lichfield and known as the **PUTARURU TIMBER MUSEUM**, subject to conditions.

Conditions:

The licence is subject to the following conditions:

1. Alcohol may be sold and supplied for consumption on the premises only on the following days and hours:
Saturday the 20th of February 2021 from 2.00pm to 12 midnight with alcohol sales ceasing at 11.00pm;
 2. Drinking water is to be provided to patrons free of charge from a water supply prominently situated on the premises;
 3. A certificated manager must be on duty at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol;
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4. Food must be available for consumption on the premises at all times the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol, in accordance with the sample menu supplied with the application for this licence or menu variations of a similar range and standard;
 5. The licensee must have available for consumption on the premises, at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol, a reasonable range of non-alcoholic and low-alcohol beverages;
 6. The Licensee must display signage as follows:
 - a. At every point-of-sale detailing restrictions on the sale and supply of alcohol to minors and intoxicated persons;
 - b. A copy of the licence attached to the premises so as to be easily read by persons attending the premises; and
 - c. A sign prominently displayed at the premises, which identifies by name the manager for the time being on duty.
 7. The licensee must provide information and advice about forms of transport available to patrons from the drop off point/s.
 8. No BYO alcohol is to be brought into the event.
 9. One-way door shall apply.
 10. All drinks to be in depressurised cans or paper/plastic cups.
 11. The entire licensed area is a Restricted Area and is to be fully fenced.
 12. Buses will be operating throughout for the attendees and will be the only way in and out of the venue. Attendees are to be screened before they get on the buses and also before they enter the venue.
 13. COA security staff are to be engaged for ID screening, intoxication assessments and perimeter security.
 14. There will be a maximum of two bars operating.
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15. A Drug Policy is to be finalised and provided to Police before the event begins.
16. The Traffic Management Plan (TMP) is to be signed off and distributed prior to the event.
17. The Alcohol Management Plan (AMP) is to be followed at all times.

DATED at TOKOROA this 9th day of February 2021

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Murray Clearwater', with a long, sweeping tail.

Murray Clearwater
Chairperson/Commissioner
South Waikato District Licensing Committee