

**APPLICATION NO.**

**036/CERT/053/2017**

**IN THE MATTER**

of the Sale and Supply of  
Alcohol Act 2012

**AND**

**IN THE MATTER**

of an application by Rupinder  
Singh Batth for Renewal of a  
Managers Certificate pursuant to  
section 224 of the Act.

**BEFORE THE WHANGANUI DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

The renewal of managers' certificate application had no matters of opposition raised under section 225 reports, therefore the matter was considered by the Whanganui District Licensing Commissioner in accordance with sections 226, 227 and 228 of the Act.

**Commissioner:**        **Stuart Hylton**

**RESERVED DECISION OF THE DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

**1. Application**

Rupinder Singh Batth made the application on the prescribed form received 14<sup>th</sup> September 2017. The applicant has experience using the certificate at Black Bull Liquor (Off-licence), Whanganui. The applicant has supplied evidence of having achieved the prescribed qualifications and has one minor conviction recorded during the renewal period.

**2. Decision Making**

In considering this application for a manager's certificate the licensing committee had regard to the following criteria under section 227 of the Act.

*(a) the applicant's suitability to be a manager:*

*(b) any convictions recorded against the applicant since the certificate was issued or last renewed:*

*(c) the manner in which the manager has managed the sale and supply of alcohol pursuant to the licence with the aim of contributing to the reduction of alcohol-related harm:*

*(d) any matters dealt with in any report made under [section 225](#).*

**3 Reporting Agencies**

The following reports were received under section 225 of the Act and taken into account during the decision.

**3.1 Police** – No opposition recorded within report received on 21 September 2017.

**3.2 Licensing Inspector** – Full report including opinion that Rupinder Singh Bath has managed the certificate in accordance with the requirements under the Act and licence conditions. The inspector concludes that the application is complete and appears to meet the criteria of s. 227 of the Act. The inspector records no opposition.

**4 Conclusion**

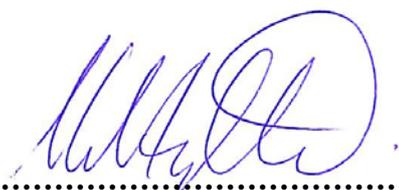
Based on the evidence provided to me within the application and statutory reports I conclude that Rupinder Singh Bath meets the criteria to have the Managers Certificate renewed in terms with section 227 of the Act.

**5 Decision**

Accordingly the application for renewal is **Approved** for issue for a period of 3 years in accordance with s.228 of the Act.

**Dated at Whanganui District this the 6th day of October 2017.**

**Signed**



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**Stuart Hylton**  
**Whanganui District Licensing Commissioner**