

APPLICATION NO.

036/CERT/092/2015.1

IN THE MATTER

of the Sale and Supply of
Alcohol Act 2012

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by **Vinod
Kumar Meghwal** 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

Vinod Kumar Meghwal made the application on the prescribed form received 24th September 2018. The applicant has experience using the certificate at the St Johns Four Square (Off-licence), Whanganui, where he is licensee. 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 12 October 2018.

3.2 Licensing Inspector – Full report including opinion that **Vinod Kumar Meghwal** 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 **Vinod Kumar Meghwal** 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 15th day of October 2018.

Signed



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Stuart Hylton
Whanganui District Licensing Commissioner

