Decision No. **197/2014**

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

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by **Kaurihohore School** for a special licence pursuant to s.137 of the Act in respect of premises situated at **Apotu Road, Kauri** for an event known as the **Quiz Night**

BEFORE THE WHANGAREI DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

Chairman: Councillor John Williamson

DECISION (ON THE PAPERS)

This is an application by **Kaurihohore School** for an on-site special licence in respect of premises situated at the **Apotu Road, Kauri** for an event known as the Quiz Night.

The day and hours sought for the event is 7pm to 10.30pm 28 June 2014.

The committee has received reports on the application from the Police, the Medical Officer of Health and the Licensing Inspector and none have raised matters in opposition. Further more the application did not require public notice. Accordingly the committee deals with the matters on the papers

The application relates to a Quiz Night and will be attended by members of the public, parents of the school children, and their family and friends with the expected number of 96 guests. The application relates to Kaurihohore Hall.

Kaurihohore school is a small rural school with approximately 170 students. Special licences have previously been issue to the applicant for similar events and there are no questions as to the suitability of the applicant to hold a special licence by the Police.

Kasey Hindrup is the nominated manager, she is part of the parent teacher association. She has run similar event for the Hikurangi Rugby Club in the past. She is not a certified manager but has experience in running this event in the past. Under section 213 (2) the committee may grant an exemption from having a certified manager.

Section 142 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 provides that in deciding whether or not to issue a special licence, the licensing committee must have regard to the following matters :

(a) the object of this Act:

(b) the nature of the particular event for which the licence is sought and, in particular,—

(i) whether the applicant is engaged in, or proposes at the event to engage in, the sale of goods other than alcohol, low-alcohol refreshments, non-alcoholic refreshments, and food, and if so, which goods; and

(ii) whether the applicant is engaged in, or proposes at the event to engage in, the provision of services other than those directly related to the sale of alcohol, low-alcohol refreshments, non-alcoholic refreshments, and food, and if so, which services:

(c) the suitability of the applicant:

(d) any relevant local alcohol policy:

(e) whether (in its opinion) the amenity and good order of the locality would be likely to be reduced, by more than a minor extent, by the effects of the issue of the licence:
(f) the days on which and the hours during which the applicant proposes to sell alcohol:
(g) the design and layout of the premises concerned:
(h) whether the applicant has appropriate systems, staff and training to comply with the law:
(i) any areas of the premises that the applicant proposes should be designated as restricted areas or supervised areas:
(j) any steps the applicant proposes to take to ensure that the requirements of this Act in relation to the sale and supply of alcohol to prohibited persons are observed:
(k) the applicant's proposals relating to—
(i) the sale and supply of non-alcoholic drinks and food; and
(ii) the sale and supply of low-alcohol drinks; and
(iii) the provision of help with or information about alternative forms of transport from the premises:
(l) any matters dealt with in any report from the Police, the Medical Officer of Health, or an inspector made under section 141.

DECISION

The committee is satisfied as to the matters to which it must have regard as set out in s.142 of the Act and grants the applicant an on-site special licence along with an exemption from the requirements of s.213(1) of the Act subject to the following conditions.

1. Alcohol may be sold under the licence only on the following days and during the following hours: **Saturday 28th June 2014 from 7.00pm until 10.30pm**
2. Alcohol may be sold or supplied to the following types of people: **Persons attending the event**
3. The fees payable for the licence concerned are: **$63.25 GST inclusive**
4. The licensee must take the following steps to ensure that the provisions of this Act relating to the sale or supply of alcohol to prohibited persons are observed: **No sales to minors or intoxicated persons; appropriate signage displayed; evidence of age documents must be requested when deemed necessary**
5. The licensee must take the following steps to ensure that the provisions of this Act relating to the management of premises are observed: **Manager to be on duty at all times and responsible for compliance. Name of duty manager to be displayed**
6. Free drinking water must be freely available to customers, while the event is taking place, at the following places: **On each table and at the bar**
7. Where the principal business carried out on the premises is not the manufacture or sale of alcohol, the kinds of alcohol that may be sold or delivered on or from the premises are: **Beer, RTD's and wine only**
8. Food must be available for consumption on the premises as follows: **Chips, dips, mini pies, sausage rolls and sweet slices**
9. Low-alcohol beverages must be available for sale and supply on the premises as follows: **Low alcohol beer**
10. Non-alcohol beverages must be available for sale and supply on the premises as follows: **Fruit juices and soft drinks**
11. The licensee must take the following steps to provide assistance with or information about alternative forms of transport from the premises: **Taxi telephone numbers displayed**
12. Members of the public must be excluded from the premises in the following circumstances: **Private event, entry by ticket only**

13. Alcohol may be sold in the following types of container only: **Standard glasses, bottles**

The committee gave notice that any future applications submitted by the applicant for a special licence(s) would be expected to include an identified certificated manager for the event(s).

DATED at **Whangarei** this **17th** day of **June 2014**

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Chairman
Whangarei District Licensing Committee
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