

**IN THE MATTER**

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act  
2012

**AND**

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of an application by **Ravindra Dhirajbhai Patel** pursuant to s.224 of the Act for the renewal of a Manager's Certificate.

**BEFORE THE WHANGAREI DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Councillor John Williamson  
Member: Paul Dimery  
Member: Mark Vincent

**DECISION (ON THE PAPERS)**

This is an application for the renewal of a Manager's Certificate by **Ravindra Dhirajbhai Patel**. The application has been properly made prior to the expiry of the licence.

Section 227 of the Act provides that in considering an application for the renewal of a manager's certificate the Licensing Committee must have regard for the following matters:

- (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.

The committee has received reports on the application from the Police and the Licensing Inspector and neither has raised matters in opposition. Accordingly the committee deals with the matters on the papers.

The applicant is currently the duty manager for Bream Bay Four Square located on Marsden Point Road, Ruakaka. The certificate was first issued in Manukau. This is the third renewal. There are no matters which would suggest that the applicant's management of licensed premises is other than satisfactory in terms of compliance with provisions of the Act.

The committee is satisfied as to the matters to which it must have regard as set out in s.227 of the Act and that the applicant holds the required Licensed Controller Qualification and Bridging Test. The application is granted and the committee renews the manager's certificate for a further 3 years. The certificate shall expire on the 7<sup>th</sup> September 2017. The certificate may issue immediately.

**DATED at Whangarei this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 2014**

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Chairman  
**Whangarei District Licensing Committee**  
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