Matamata-Piako District Licensing Committee



IN THE MATTER

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

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IN THE MATTER

of an application by **GM Hospitality Limited** for a **temporary authority** pursuant to section 136 of the Act in respect of a premises situated at 38 Broadway Matamata 3400 and known as **Tracs Sports Bar**.

Licence Number: Underlying Licence: File Number: 13/TEMP/002/2023 13/ON/24/2022 162.2023.1799.1



Chairperson: Councillor Sue Whiting

DECISION ON THE PAPERS

This is an application for a temporary authority to carry on the sale and supply of alcohol under an existing On License with an expiry date of 31 October 2025.

The reason for the temporary authority is due to the business changing ownership. The applicant intended taking over the premises on 20 March 2023. However due to delays in the applicant providing information, the takeover date has been postponed until the Temporary authority is issued. The applicant will be the new owner of the business. There are one director of Tracs Sports Bar, Gurpreet Singh.

Gurpreet has worked in the hospitality industry for a number of years, he currently owns and operates the One 3 One Bar and restaurant at Paeroa. Enquiries have been made with the Hauraki Licensing Inspector, he has no concerns regarding the operation of that premises.

No matters in opposition to this temporary authority have been raised by the Inspector or by the Police.

We are satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard and we grant the applicant a temporary authority to carry on the sale and supply of alcohol under the existing licence.

Section 136(4) of the Act requires the Committee, on making an order, to impose any conditions that the Act requires an on or off-licence to be issued subject to, may impose any conditions that the Act enables the licence to be issued subject to and may impose

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any other reasonable conditions it thinks fit. Sections 112, 116 and 117 of the Act detail compulsory and discretionary conditions of the licence in force.

The temporary authority is subject to the following conditions in addition to the existing conditions of the licence in force:

- a) It is a condition of this Temporary Authority that the holder must comply with all the conditions of the current on-licence, and the provisions of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012.
- b) That an application for an on-licence be made within two months of the date of issue.
- c) The temporary authority must be displayed next to the base licence attached to the interior of the premises so as to be easily read by persons entering through the principal entrance.

The applicant's attention is drawn to s.136(5) of the Act which states that the person authorised by this order has the same duties, obligations, and liabilities, as the holder of the underlying on-licence concerned.

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The certificate can be issued immediately.

Dated at Te Aroha this 29th day of March 2023.

Sue Whiting Chairperson

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