

# TASMAN DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

## AGENDA FOR DETERMINATION OF APPLICATIONS

Date: Friday 10 May 2024

Time: 8.30

Venue: Via Teams

Chair: Brent Maru


Secretary: Melanie Welch

### Declaration of Interest

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### SPECIAL LICENCES

SP2663	Kiwi Spirits New Zealand Limited	Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Not approved <input type="checkbox"/>
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Signed: 

Melanie Welch, Secretary – District Licensing Committee

# TASMAN DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

Decision No. SP2664

IN THE MATTER

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by **Kiwi Spirits New Zealand Limited** for a Special Licence pursuant to Section 138 of the Act in respect of premises situated at 430 Abel Tasman Drive, Takaka, known as Kiwi Spirits Distillery

## BEFORE THE TASMAN DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

Chairperson: Cr Brent Maru

### DECISION

The general nature of the event to be held is that of a monthly Saturday Soirees to allow patrons to taste cocktails at the premises.

Reports were received from the Licensing Inspector, the Police and the Medical Officer of Health and no matters in opposition were raised. Accordingly we deal with the matter on the papers.

We are satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in Section 142 of the Act, and we grant the applicant the Special Licence sought. A copy of the licence setting out the conditions to which it is subject is attached to this decision.

We make the observation that applications for special licences are required by section 137 of the Act to be filed with the District Licensing Committee's secretariat at least 20 working days before the day on which the event concerned begins. In this case, that requirement has not been met, there being only 17 working days between the time of application and the proposed event. Section 137 (2) of the Act allows us to consider an application for a special licence that is filed inside 20 working days prior to the event if we are satisfied that the need for a special licence could not have been foreseen earlier. This has not been the case for this application with the failure to apply in the prescribed time appearing to be a matter of neglect or omission. However, the secretariat and inspector, with the co-operation of Police and the Medical Officer of Health, have been able to complete the required reports at short notice. We are satisfied that the neglect or omission was not wilful, so pursuant to section 208 of the Act waive the requirement relating to the prescribed time for lodgement of the application.

The licence may issue immediately.

DATED at Richmond this 10th day of May 2024



**Chairperson**  
**Tasman District Licensing Committee**