

## DECISION FOR SPECIAL LICENCE

Licence Number: SP16050

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

**AND**

**IN THE MATTER** of an application by the **Great Open Ladies Fund** for a Special Licence pursuant to section 138 of the Act in respect of the Central Otago Trotting Club meeting to be held at the Omakau racecourse on 2 January 2017.

### **BEFORE THE CENTRAL OTAGO DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

Robert B McNeil (Chairman)  
Neil Gillespie  
Dr Michael MacAvoy

**HEARING** at Alexandra on 9 September 2016

### **APPEARANCES**

Steph Bekhuis-Pay – Health Promotion Advisor, Public Health South  
Ray Applegarth – Licensing Inspector CODC

### **DECISION**

This application is sought to allow the sale and supply of alcohol from the on-course bars at the Omakau Race Course and allow consumption of alcohol within those bars during an event organised by the Central Otago Trotting Club on the 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2017 the licence is limited to the bar areas noted in the application, the event organisers are allowing BYO alcohol within the balance of the racecourse area.

Reports have been received from the Licensing Inspector and Medical Officer of Health with no opposition or notice of desire to be heard.

NZ Police were concerned that by allowing a mix of on-site sales and BYO there will not be adequate measures in place to meet the object of the Act or the criteria specified in section 142 of the Act. As a result, a report opposing the application was received from the NZ Police. Council has subsequently received notification from NZ Police of withdrawal of their opposition to the application.

We therefore deal with the matter on the papers.

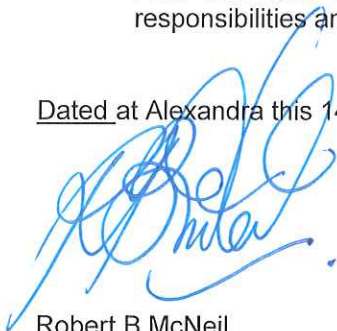
### **Decision**

The District Licensing Committee being satisfied as to the matters to which it must have regard as set out in section 142 of the Act, approve the issue of a special licence to the Great Open Ladies Fund subject to the following conditions:

- a) The licensee must have available for consumption on the premises at all times when alcohol may be sold under the licence a reasonable range of non-alcoholic refreshments low alcohol beverages.
- b) Free drinking water must be visibly available and promoted with signage.
- c) Alcohol may be sold under the licence only on the following day and during the following hours:  
Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2017  
Public Bar: 12 noon until half an hour **before** the commencement of the last race.  
Members Bar: 12 noon until half an hour **after** the commencement of the last race.
- d) A range of substantial food shall be available at all times alcohol is available for sale.
- e) A courtesy coach service shall be available and advertised accordingly.

- f) A copy of the licence shall be prominently displayed within the licensed premises, as well as the name of the manager on duty, in accordance with the Act.
- g) No BYO alcohol is permitted within the licensed area.
- h) All drink containers are to be opened at the point of sale.
- i) A limit of two beers or two wines or other alcohol is permitted to be sold in any one transaction.
- j) No off-site sales are permitted.
- k) All bars are designated as supervised areas.
- l) The Duty Manager (Colleen Cockburn) must ensure compliance with the Alcohol Management Plan submitted with the application and must ensure all staff receives training in their responsibilities and obligations under the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012.

Dated at Alexandra this 14<sup>th</sup> day of September 2016.



Robert B McNeil  
Chairman  
Central Otago District Licensing Committee