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

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application pursuant to section 136 of

the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 by **AMC Trading Limited** for Temporary Authority in respect of the premises at 88 Guyton Street, Whanganui and currently

known as 'Tandoori Bite'.

BEFORE THE WHANGANUI DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

Commissioner Mr S G Hylton

DECISION

1. Introduction

This is an application by **AMC Trading Limited** for Temporary Authority (second) in respect of the premises situated at 88 Guyton Street, Whanganui and known as 'Tandoori Bite'.

The application comes about from a change of ownership and is required to allow the applicant to continue trading while the application for a new licence is processed by the Licensing Committee. This is the second Temporary Authority made by the applicant against the licence. The applicant has a substantive On-licence applied for that will take time to be processed and determined.

2. Application

The application is made against On-licence **036/ON/003/2018** which has an expiry date of 5 November 2025.

The application was not advertised and no objection or notice of desire to be heard has been received under section 103 of the Act. Accordingly we deal with the matter on the papers in accordance with sections 136 and 202(1) of the Act.

In considering the application for temporary authority the committee had regard to the object of the Act and reports furnished by Police and Inspector.

3. Reporting Agencies

The following reports were received under the Act.

Police Report – No opposition from Police in report dated 18 July 2024.

Licensing Inspector Report – The inspector notes that the applicant is an individual of good standing, has experience in the industry and has a manager's certificate. The applicant's current temporary authority expires on 23 July 2024 and they have supplied relevant documents with the application showing lease of the building. There is no suggestion the applicant has not complied with the conditions of the first temporary authority.

The inspector concludes that the application is complete and meets the criteria of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012. The inspector recommends that the licence be issued subject to conditions.

I concur with the inspector's assessment and conditions.

4. Decision

Accordingly the application for Temporary Licence is **Approved**, valid for 3 months from the date of expiry of the first temporary authority or when the Substantive Licence Application lodged by the applicant is determined, whichever is the sooner.

The Temporary Authority can be issued to take effect from 23 July 2024 with the conditions recommended in the inspectors report.

DATED at Whanganui this 18 day of July, 2024.



