## **Notice of Decision**



Decision No. 57/ON/368/2016

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

2012

<u>AND</u>

**IN THE MATTER** of an application by Select Braemar

Lodge & Spa Limited pursuant to s.127 of the Act for renewal of an On-Licence in respect of premises

situated at 283 Medway Road, Hanmer Springs known as "Select

Braemar Lodge & Spa"

## **BEFORE THE Hurunui District Licensing Committee**

Chairperson: Councillor M Black

## **DECISION (ON THE PAPERS)**

This is an application by Select Braemar Lodge & Spa Limited for renewal of an On-Licence in respect of premises situated at 283 Medway Road, Hanmer Springs, known as "Select Braemar Lodge & Spa".

The applicant also seeks a variation of hours.

The current hours licensed are: Monday to Sunday 8.00am to 10.00pm which have been limited by resource consent.

The applicant wishes to extend the licensed hours to **Monday to Sunday from 8.00am to 12.00 midnight.** 

The request for extended licensed hours was reviewed by the Council Planning Officers. They determined that there is unlikely to be any increase in vehicle movements and noise associated with extending the licensed hours until midnight, and as such, the extra hours could be included in the licence.

The licensed areas are:

Bar – supervised designation
Lounge and Altitude Restaurant – undesignated
Outdoor area – grassed lawn adjacent to the restaurant and lounge – undesignated

The lodge manager has advised that the bar is generally only open when the restaurant is open. Between restaurant operational hours, it is rare to receive any requests for alcohol at the bar or by room service.

The Act requires that food be available at all times that alcohol is available for sale or supply. The applicant is reminded, that if at least three to four types of food are not available, then no alcohol can be served either at the bar or by room service.

All rooms contain mini bars.

The processes in place for ensuring minors do not have access to the mini bars has been clarified with the lodge management. Minors are rare guests at the lodge, usually only being present at weddings, with their parents.

The measures in place include:

- Minibars will be removed from rooms where minors are to be accommodated, or
- The adult guests in the room are advised to ensure that no-one under 18 years of age is able to have access to the minibar.

The application was duly advertised and no objection or notice of desire to be heard has been received.

In their reports, the Police, Medical Officer of Health, and District Licensing Inspector have raised no matters in opposition to this application.

We are satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s.131 of the Act. We renew the licence until 03 December 2021, that being the anniversary date of the licence and three years from the most recent date of expiry.

Due to a practice direction from the Alcohol Regulatory and Licensing Authority we authorise the issue of a replacement licence with a new number and notice of renewal.

**DATED** at Amberley this 8 April 2019

Secretary |

**Hurunui District Licensing Committee**