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

**AND** 

IN THE MATTER of an application by John Stewart Richards for the renewal of an ON licence pursuant to Section 127 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 in respect of the premises situated at 703 State Highway One, Wairakei and known as "Wairakei Thermal Valley"

#### BEFORE THE TAUPO DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE:

Commissioner: Murray Clearwater

### The Application:

This is an application by John Stewart Richards for the renewal of an **On Licence** in respect of the licensed premises known as **Wairakei Thermal Valley**, situated at **703 State Highway One**, **Wairakei**. It was formally received by the Taupō District Licensing Committee on 30th April 2019.

The applicant is the holder of an **On Licence** 020/ON/11/94 that was first issued by the Liquor Licensing Authority on 9 May 1994.

The application was duly advertised on the Taupo District Council website from 1 May 2019 for a period of 10 days and no objection or notice of desire to be heard has been received. Display of the public notice has been carried out in the terms of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 by the licensee and no objections were lodged by any members of the public.

The Inspector has provided a comprehensive report that outlines the safe and responsible operation of this licence for many years.

#### The Reasons for the Decision:

The applicant is a proven operator and has not come to notice in an adverse manner for any of the reporting agencies. The hours are reasonable, and the host responsibility practices appear sound.

#### The Decision:

We are satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in the Act and approve the renewal of the licence for three years on the same conditions as previously granted by the Taupo District Licensing Committee.

Dated at Taupo this 17th day of July 2019

Murray Clearwater

Commissioner

**Taupō District Licensing Committee** 



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## **Notice of Renewal of On Licence**

Section 135, Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

To: John Stewart Richards

Licence 20/ON/0071/2019 replacing licence 20/ON/0071/2016

The On Licence in respect of the premises situated at 703 State Highway One, Wairakei known as "Wairakei Thermal Valley" is renewed.

The present conditions of the licence shall continue to apply.

Subject to the requirements of the Act relating to the payment of fees, and to the provisions of the Act relating to the suspension and cancellation of licenses, the licence continues in force—

- until the close of the period for which it is renewed; or
- if an application for the renewal of the licence is duly made before it would otherwise expire, until the close of the period of 3 years after the period for which it is renewed.

The licence is renewed for three years and expires on 9 May 2022.

Dated at Taupō this 17th day of July 2019

Murray Clearwater **Commissioner** 

**Taupō District Licensing Committee**