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

#### **AND**

**IN THE MATTER** of an application by National Equestrian Centre, pursuant to Section 138 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 for an On-Site Special Licence

## Before the Taupo District Licensing Committee:

## Members:

Commissioner: Murray Clearwater

Determination at Taupo on 24 February 2022

## **DECISION OF THE TAUPO DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

## The Application

This is an application by **National Equestrian Centre** for an On-Site Special Licence pursuant to Section 138 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 for a series of equestrian events. It was formally received by the Taupō District Licensing Committee on 3rd February 2022.

#### **Reasons for the Decision**

The applicant is a responsible licensee and has previously managed similar special licences. A certificated manager will oversee the bar/s and security will manage patron behaviour.

The licensee must ensure that ALL level Red COVID restrictions are followed at all times. Attendees must be in 'pods' of no more than 100 persons and must not intermix.

The reports of the Police and the Medical Officer of Health do not oppose this application.

#### The Decision

I am satisfied that the criteria of Section 142 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 have been satisfactorily addressed by the applicant and the licence may issue subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Alcohol may be sold and supplied for consumption on the premises only on the following days and hours:

  Dates & hours of operation of events as listed in the attached schedule.
- 2. Drinking water is to be provided to patrons free of charge from a water supply prominently situated on the premises.
- 3. A certificated manager must be on duty at all times, within the licensed area, when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol and their full name must be on a sign prominently displayed.
- 4. Food must be available for consumption on the premises at all times the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol, in accordance with the sample menu supplied with the application for this licence, or menu variations of a similar range and standard.

- 5. The licensee must have available for consumption on the premises, at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol, a reasonable range of non-alcoholic and low-alcohol beverages.
- 6. The Licensee must display signage as follows:
  - a. At every point of sale detailing restrictions on the sale and supply of alcohol to minors and intoxicated persons,
  - b. A copy of the licence attached to the premises so as to be easily read by persons attending the premises,
  - c. A sign prominently displayed at the premises, which identifies by name the manager for the time being on duty,
  - d. The licensee must provide information and advice about forms of transport available to patrons from the licensed premises.

The licensed premises known as the National Equestrian Centre Taupo, situated at 114 Rapids Road, Aratiatia, Taupo, is more precisely identified as outlined in the event site plan provided with the application, as received by the Taupo District Licensing Committee on 3 February 2022.

Dated at Taupō this 24th day of February 2022

Murray Clearwater Commissioner

**Taupō District Licensing Committee** 



# Taupo District Licensing Committee Special Licence – On Site

Section 22 and 64, Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

**Pursuant** to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012, **National Equestrian Centre** is authorised to sell and supply alcohol, on the premises situated at 1034 State Highway 1, RD4, Taupo 3384, and known as National Equestrian Centre Taupo for consumption on the premises, to any person attending the following occasion or event (or series of occasions or events): **Equestrian Events** 

The authority conferred by this licence must be exercised through a managers or managers appointed by the licensee in accordance with Subpart 7 of Part 2 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012.

#### Conditions:

This licence is subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Alcohol may be sold and supplied for consumption on the premises only on the following days and hours: Dates & hours of operation of events as listed in the attached schedule.
- 2. Drinking water is to be provided to patrons free of charge from a water supply prominently situated on the premises.
- 3. A certificated manager must be on duty at all times, within the licensed area, when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol and their full name must be on a sign prominently displayed.
- 4. Food must be available for consumption on the premises at all times the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol, in accordance with the sample menu supplied with the application for this licence, or menu variations of a similar range and standard.
- 5. The licensee must have available for consumption on the premises, at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol, a reasonable range of non-alcoholic and low-alcohol beverages.
- 6. The Licensee must display signage as follows:
  - a. At every point of sale detailing restrictions on the sale and supply of alcohol to minors and intoxicated persons,
  - b. A copy of the licence attached to the premises so as to be easily read by persons attending the premises,
  - c. A sign prominently displayed at the premises, which identifies by name the manager for the time being on duty,
  - d. The licensee must provide information and advice about forms of transport available to patrons from the licensed premises.

#### **Duration**

This licence is only in force as specified in Condition 1.

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Dated at Taupo this 24th day of February 2022

Murray Clearwater

**Commissioner for Taupo District Licensing Committee** 

## Schedule of event dates & hours of operation:

"Lets Jump Equestrian Sport":

From 25 February 2022 to 27 February 2022; from 12.05pm to 11.55pm on each day.

"Equestrian Sport - Dressage National Championship":

From 25 March 2022 to 27 March 2022; from 12.05pm to 11.55pm on each date.

"NEC Easter Show-jumping Event":

From 14 April 2022 to 18 April 2022; from 12.05 pm to 11.55pm on each date.

"Equestrian Sport - Waikato Dressage Championship":

From 6 May 2022 8 May 2022; from 12.05 pm to 11.55pm on each date.

"Equestrian Sport – Waikato Dressage Championships":

From 12 May 2022 to 15 May 2022; from 12.05pm to 11.55pm on each date.

"Equestrian Sport – NEC Midwinter Christmas Classic":

From 24 June 2022 to 26 June 2022, from 12.05pm to 11.55pm on each date.