

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

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by Vivian Michael Smith pursuant to Section 224 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 for the renewal of a Manager's Certificate.

DECISION OF THE TAUPŌ DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

Before the Taupō District Licensing Committee:

Commissioner: Murray Clearwater

The Application:

This is an application by Vivian Michael Smith for the renewal of a Managers Certificate pursuant to Section 224 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012. It was formally received by the Taupō District Licensing Committee on 2nd March 2026.

Reasons for the Decision

1. The applicant holds the Licence Controller Qualification and the LCQ Bridging Certificate and is employed in licensed premises.
2. The Licensing Inspector has provided a report outlining the applicant's experience in controlling licensed premises and has tested their understanding of their responsibilities as a Manager.
3. Neither the New Zealand Police nor the Licensing Inspector express any concerns about the suitability of the applicant, nor do they oppose the renewal of the certificate. Accordingly, the application can be dealt with on the papers.
4. The application and supporting information satisfies the Committee that the criteria we must have regard to as set out in Section 227 of the Act have been met.

Decision of the Taupō District Licensing Committee:

The District Licensing Committee Commissioner, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 approves the application by Vivian Michael Smith for the renewal of a Manager's Certificate.

The certificate is renewed for a further period of three years from the date of expiry of the current certificate.

Dated at Taupō on 16 July 2026



Murray Clearwater

Commissioner

Taupō District Licensing Committee



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Taupō District Council

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Notice of Renewal of Manager's Certificate

Section 226 - Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

Pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

Vivian Michael Smith

Certificate Number: **20/CERT/3523/2026**

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 managers' certificates, this certificate expires on:

24 August 2029

unless again renewed

This certificate replaces **20/CERT/036/2023**

Dated at Taupō on 16 July 2026

Murray Clearwater
Commissioner
Taupō District Licensing Committee