Decision number: 119-2024

IN THE MATTER of the Sale and Supply of

Alcohol Act 2012(the Act)

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by

Ezra Maketu SMART pursuant to s.219 of Act for a manager's certificate.

BEFORE THE WESTLAND DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

THE APPLICATION

This is an application by **Ezra Maketu SMART** for a manager's certificate to manage licensed premises known as **Hard Antler Bar & Restaurant**.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The applicant holds the prescribed Licence Controller Qualification/s and is employed in licensed premises.

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.

Neither the New Zealand Police nor the Licensing Inspector express any concern about the overall suitability of the applicant, nor do they oppose the granting of the application.

Accordingly, the application can be dealt with on the papers.

DECISION

The application and supporting information satisfy the committee that the criteria we must have regard to as set out in s.222 of the Act have been met.

The District Licensing Committee Chairman, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 **grants** an application by **Ezra Maketu SMART** for a Manager's Certificate.

The certificate is valid for twelve months from the date the certificate is issued.

DATED at Hokitika this 13th day of August 2024

Murray Clearwater
Chairperson/Commissioner
Westland District Licensing Committee