

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

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by Goldrose Enterprises Limited for the renewal of a licence pursuant to Section 127 of the Act in respect of the premises situated at **267 State Highway One, Turangi** and known as “**The Store**”.

THE APPLICATION

This is an application by **Goldrose Enterprises Limited** for the renewal of an **Off Licence** in respect of the Licensed Premises known as **The Store**, situated at **267 State Highway One, Turangi**.

The applicant is the holder of a **Off Licence** [Licence Number 20/OFF/0097/2019] which was first granted by the Taupō District Licensing Committee on 22 March 2019.

The application was duly advertised on the Taupo District Council website from 25 February 2020 for a period of 10 days, as well as being published in the Taupo Times newspaper on 28 February 2020 and on 10 March 2020 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.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

In March 2019 we determined the grant of this licence ‘on the papers’ having previously held a hearing to determine a Temporary Authority for this business.

In that decision we said:

We are satisfied that the sale of automotive fuel is not the principal business on the site. On that premise the application does not offend against Section 36 of the Act.

We are satisfied that a stand-alone bottle store, supermarket or grocery store would not be economic at this location. That allows us to consider the grant of an OFF Licence pursuant to Section 34 of the Act.

We have decided to grant the licence but record that the decision to do so was a ‘close call.’ It is up to the applicant to show us that the business will be run responsibly, and the amenity and good order of the area is not adversely affected by more than a minor extent.

At renewal time we will require the production of a set of sales figures drawn from prepared accounts, verified by a chartered accountant as true and correct, showing the various revenue streams of the business. This will assist us consider whether the business still qualifies for a Section 34 exception.

As requested, verified sales figures has been received outlining the various income streams. Again, we are satisfied that the principal business is not that of a service station selling automotive fuels.

The applicant has operated compliantly and has not come to notice in an adverse manner for any of the reporting agencies. The hours are very reasonable, and the social 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.

I direct that a notice of renewal and a replacement licence be issued.

Dated at Taupo this 13th day of May 2020



Murray Clearwater

Commissioner

Taupō District Licensing Committee



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Notice of Renewal of Off Licence

Section 135, Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

To: **Goldrose Enterprises Limited**

Licence **20/OFF/0097/2020** replacing licence **20/OFF/0097/2019**

The Off Licence in respect of the premises situated at 267 State Highway One, Turangi known as “**The Store**” 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 22 March 2023.

Dated at Taupō this 13th day of May 2020



Murray Clearwater
Commissioner
Taupō District Licensing Committee