Decision number:

019-2024

IN THE MATTER

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 (the Act)

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by **Gustavo Adolfo HEREDIA** pursuant
to s224 of the Act for the
renewal of a manager's
certificate.

## BEFORE THE WESTLAND DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

This is an application by **Gustavo Adolfo HEREDIA** for the renewal of a manager's certificate.

No opposition, or notice of desire to be heard, has been received in relation to this application.

Accordingly, the application can be determined on the papers pursuant to s.191 (3) and 202 (1) of the Act.

## **REASONS FOR THE DECISION**

The applicant holds the prescribed Licence Controller Qualification/s, has recently been working in licensed premises namely Cook Saddle Café & Saloon, and has suitable experience in managing licensed premises.

The New Zealand Police, and the Licensing Inspector, have not challenged the suitability of the applicant, or the way in which they have managed licensed premises.

However, the Inspector reports that the applicant is bound by the terms of his Visa that he works as a Chef at Cook Saddle Café & Saloon.

The role of the Duty manager in licensed premises is to oversee the sale, supply and consumption of alcohol within the licensed area where the members of the public are.

This cannot be done from the kitchen and this applicant, and his employer, must ensure that he abides by the terms of his Visa and if he is appointed to the role of Duty Manager then he is to be working front of house.

Subject to the above I consider this application on the papers.

## DECISION

The District Licensing Committee Chairman, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 **approves** the application by **Gustavo Adolfo HEREDIA for** a renewal of a Manager's Certificate.

The renewal is valid for three years from the expiry of the current certificate.

**DATED** at Hokitika this 27th day of February 2024

Murray Clearwater

Chairperson/Commissioner

**Westland District Licensing Committee** 

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