

Decision number: **162-2025**

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

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application
by **Sophie Joy Wheldale**
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 **Sophie Joy Wheldale** 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 been working in licensed namely the **Scenic Hotel Franz Josef** 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.

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 **Sophie Joy Wheldale** 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 10th day of December 2025



Murray Clearwater
Chairperson/Commissioner
Westland District Licensing Committee

