

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

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application for a manager's
certificate pursuant to s. 219 by
Shivam Anand.

**DECISION OF THE WESTLAND DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE ON AN
UNCONTESTED APPLICATION**

Authority:

Pursuant to section 191(2) of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 and a Council resolution dated 28 November 2013, the functions, powers and duties of the Westland District Licensing Committee are delegated to the committee chairperson where no objection has been filed, and no matters of opposition have been raised by the Police, the Medical Officer of Health or an Inspector. There is no Local Alcohol Policy in place for the District.

Summary of Evidence

The complete file has been made available to me.

A report from the Inspector concludes that the applicant is suitable to hold a manager's certificate.

The Police have no objection to the grant of the application.

Evaluation of Evidence

I have considered the application on the basis of the uncontested reports received. The matter can, therefore, be dealt with on the papers.

The Applicant has wide experience and was actively engaged in the hospitality industry in Christchurch before the Covid 19 pandemic disrupted New Zealand generally and the hospitality sector in particular. Mr. Anand now works at the Hari Hari Hotel and he is supported by a couple of references that are testament to the abilities of Mr. Anand. I have no doubt that the applicant will play an important part in the Westland Hospitality and Tourist industry in the future.

I am satisfied that the applicant is suitable, he does not have any convictions recorded against him, he has several years of experience within the industry and he holds a recognised qualification.

Decision and Reasons

I am satisfied as to those matters provided for in s.222 of the Act.

The application is granted on the papers pursuant to s.202 (1) of the Act as Decision Number 084-2020 and I direct that a certificate be issued to Shivam Anand pursuant to s.64 of the Act for a period of 12 months.

Dated at Hokitika this 18th day of July 2020



Chairman, Westland District Licensing Committee

