

# Notice of Decision



Decision No. 57/ON/470/2017

**IN THE MATTER**

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

**AND**

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of an application by Dionysus Ventures Limited pursuant to s.127 of the Act for renewal of an On-Licence in respect of premises situated at 11 Hall Street, Cheviot known as "Mt Beautiful / Two Rivers Cafe"

**BEFORE THE Hurunui District Licensing Committee**

Chairperson: Councillor M Black

**DECISION (ON THE PAPERS)**

This is an application by Dionysus Ventures Limited for renewal of an On-Licence in respect of premises situated at 11 Hall Street, Cheviot, known as "Mt Beautiful / Two Rivers Cafe".

The applicant also seeks a variation to the licensed areas and to trade as a wine bar in the evenings.

The licensed trading hours are Monday to Sunday –

Interior of premises                      Undesignated, then supervised from 10.00pm to 12 midnight

Front outdoor paved areas              Undesignated, then supervised from 10.00pm to 12 midnight

Back decking and garden              Undesignated, licensed only until 10.00pm

Teece Family Vineyards Limited changed its name to Dionysus Ventures Limited on 13 September 2017.

Dionysus Ventures Limited trades as Mt Beautiful/Two Rivers Cafe. Mt Beautiful Wines has held licences for the tasting room for three years and for the café since September 2017.

An on-licence renewal application was lodged on 15 October 2018 and had major discrepancies and incorrect information, in particular the trading hours and licensed area plan did not reflect the proposed changes. These were discussed with the new premises manager and she agreed to submit an amended application. There was a major delay in the lodgement of the updated application, received on 12 February 2019.

The Licensing Inspector met with Kimberley and another winery manager, at the premises on 15 February 2019 to discuss the applications and proposed operational changes. Further amendments to the application resulted from that meeting to ensure it accurately reflected the new proposed operation.

The application was duly advertised and no objection or notice of desire to be heard has been received.

In their reports, the Police, Medical Officer of Health, and District Licensing Inspector have raised no matters in opposition to this application.

We are satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s.131 of the Act. We renew the licence until 7 November 2021, that being three years from the first anniversary of the licence.

Due to a practice direction from the Alcohol Regulatory and Licensing Authority we authorise the issue of a replacement licence with a new number and notice of renewal.

**DATED** at Amberley this 2 April 2019



Secretary

**Hurunui District Licensing Committee**