

**IN THE MATTER**

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol  
Act 2012

**AND**

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of an application by The Pokeno  
Whisky Company Limited  
pursuant to s.138 of the Act for a  
special licence in respect of  
premises situated at 22 Gateway  
Park Drive POKENO known as  
"The Pokeno Whisky Company  
Limited".

**BEFORE THE WAIKATO DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

Commissioner: Andrew Baker

**DECISION**

[1] I have before me an application by The Pokeno Whisky Company Limited for a special licence in respect of premises situated at 22 Gateway Park Drive POKENO known as "The Pokeno Whisky Company Limited".

[2] The inspector has filed a report on the application and does not oppose the granting of the special licence. The Police and the Medical Officer of Health have offered no opposition to the granting of the special licence.

[3] The application is to allow the applicant to provide off-site sales during a community Christmas celebration event.

[4] For the purpose of this licence the licensed area (premises) is as defined within the site plan submitted with the application.

[5] The following conditions will apply to the licence:

- (a) Drinking water is to be freely available to customers immediately adjacent to any alcohol that is being supplied free as a sample on the premises.
- (b) Alcohol may be sold under the licence only on the following days and during the following hours:  
**Friday, 8 December 2023 from 6.00pm to 9.00pm**
- (c) For the purposes of the licence a certificated manager is to be always on duty to manage the conduct of the sale of alcohol.
- (d) The following steps must be taken to ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the sale of alcohol to prohibited persons are observed:
  - (i) Ensure that no intoxicated persons are allowed to enter or to remain on the premises.

[6] I am satisfied as to the matters to which I must have regard in s.142 of the Act, and I am satisfied that this application meets the purpose and object of the Act. Accordingly, I grant the special licence which may issue immediately.

[7] A copy of the licence is to be publicly displayed at the bar.

DATED at Auckland this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November 2023



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A Baker".

Andrew Baker  
Commissioner  
Waikato District Licensing Committee