

Decision number: 49C/2016/NZDLCWN/371

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

**AND**

**IN THE MATTER** of an application by Bite  
Holdings Limited, trading as  
Koast Limoncello, pursuant  
to s138 of the Act for an **off-  
site** Special Licence in  
respect of premises situated  
Stall 86, 105 Waterloo Quay,  
Wellington known as  
"Westpac Stadium"

**BEFORE THE WELLINGTON DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

Bite Holdings Limited, trading as Koast Limoncello, applies for an off-site Special Licence in respect of premises situated Stall 86, 105 Waterloo Quay, Wellington known as "Westpac Stadium."

The event is the annual Wellington Food Show where various types of foods, drinks and alcohol are showcased for tastings, new devices and appliances are tested and world class chefs demonstrate their craft in the cooking theatre.

It is anticipated that 20,000 people will attend over the three-day period. Tickets are either pre-sold online or and can be brought at the venue on either of the three days at a cost of \$23.00 for adults, \$15.00 for a child (under 12) and Under 5's are free.

The premises is currently licensed however some exhibitors will be allowing tastings and off sales as well as sales by the glass. A special licence is required to be held by each stall selling or supplying alcohol. The concourse can hold 4000 people while in 'expo mode' under the fire evacuation scheme.

The Food Show is an annual event in Wellington, Auckland and Christchurch.

There are approximately 30 exhibitors selling or offering food and non-alcoholic drinks. Each stall supplying alcohol will have water available and water stations are throughout the concourse.

Substantive food and free water will be available throughout the event from adjacent stalls.

The applicant has previously operated Special Licences without incident and has provided host responsibility details that indicate suitable measures will be undertaken with regard to the responsible sale and supply of alcohol and that any potential opportunity for harm will be minimised.

### **REASONS FOR THE DECISION**

The applicant is a proven performer having operated compliantly at similar events in the past.

I am satisfied that the applicant has sufficient staff and adequate training to manage these events safely and in accordance with the Act.

The report of the Inspector indicates that the amenity and good order of the locality will not be adversely affected by more than a minor extent.

The application was not required to be publicly notified and no opposition or notice of desire to be heard has been received from the reporting agencies.

Accordingly, I deal with the matter on the papers.

I am satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s. 105 & 142 of the Act.

### **DECISION**

The District Licensing Committee Chairman, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 **grants** an application by Bite Holdings Limited, trading as Koast Limoncello, for an Off-site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at Stall 86, 105 Waterloo Quay, Wellington known as "Westpac Stadium" subject to the following conditions.

#### **Conditions:**

1. Alcohol may be sold on, or delivered from, the premises for consumption off the premises, or supplied as a sample for consumption on the premises, only on the following days and hours:

<b>Friday 20 May 2016</b>	<b>10.00 am to 5.00 pm</b>
<b>Saturday 21 May 2016</b>	<b>10.00 am to 5.00 pm</b>
<b>Sunday 22 May 2016</b>	<b>10.00 am to 5.00 pm</b>

2. While alcohol is being supplied as a sample, water is to be provided to patrons free of charge at the place where the samples are being supplied;
3. A certificated manager must be on duty at all times, within the licensed area, when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol and their full name must be on a sign prominently displayed in the stall;
4. The Licensee must display:
  - a. At every point of sale, signs detailing restrictions on the sale and supply of alcohol to minors and intoxicated persons;
  - b. If so directed a copy of the licence is to be attached to the stall so as to be easily read by people attending the licensed area.

**DATED** at WELLINGTON this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March 2016

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Murray Clearwater', with a long, sweeping tail extending to the right.

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Murray Clearwater  
**Chairperson/Commissioner**  
**Wellington District Licensing Committee**