Decision No. 1526 199

IN THE MATTER

of the Sale of Liquor Act 1989

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by VICTORIA

UNIVERSITY-OF

WELLINGTON STAFF CLUB
INCORPORATED for a club
licence pursuant to s.53 of the Act
in respect of premises situated at
level 3, Rankine Brown Building,
Kelburn Parade, Wellington,
known as "Victoria University

Staff Club"

BEFORE THE LIQUOR LICENSING AUTHORITY

Chairman: District Court Judge J P Gatley

Members: Mr R J S Munro

Mr J W Thompson

DECISION

The application was duly advertised and no objection or notice of desire to be heard has been received. Accordingly we deal with the matter on the papers.

We note that, although these premises have previously been the subject of a club licence, the applicant failed to lodge application for renewal prior to the expiry of the licence. We take the view that allowing licences in respect of existing operations to lapse may well call into question the suitability of an applicant to hold any licence. Any sales of liquor undertaken since the licence expired would have been in breach of the penal provisions of the Act and of concern to the Police.

The club provides social facilities for approximately 550 academic and general staff of the university.

We are satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s.59 of the Act and we grant the applicant a club licence. A copy of the licence setting out the conditions to which it is subject is attached to this licence.

DATED at WELLINGTON this

day of

August

1999

R Barber E VEHELT Deputy Secretary

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Sections 53 and 114, Sale of Liquor Act 1989

The <u>VICTORIA UNIVERSITY OF WELLINGTON STAFF CLUB INCORPORATED</u>, is authorised to sell and supply liquor, on the premises situated at level 3, Rankine Brown Building, Kelburn Parade, Wellington, and known as "Victoria Universi Staff Club", for consumption on the premises, to-

- (a) Any member of the club; or
- (b) Any person who is a guest of, and is accompanied by, a member of the club; or
- (c) Any member of any other club with which the holder of the licence has an arrangement for reciprocal visiting rights for members of the clubs.

The authority conferred by this licence shall be exercised through a manager or managers appointed by the club in accordance with Part VI of the Act.

CONDITIONS

This licence is subject to the following conditions:

- (a) The club shall have a secretary at all times:
- (b) Within 10 working days of the appointment of a new secretary, the club shall inform the Secretary of the Liquor Licensing Authority of the name of the new secretary:
- (c) All proceeds from the sale of liquor shall belong to the club:
- (d) The club shall have available for consumption on the premises, at all times when the club is open for the sale of lique a reasonable range of non-alcoholic refreshments:
- (e) Liquor may be sold only on the following days and during the following hours: Monday to Sunday 10.00 am to 1.00 am the following day
- (f) Food shall be available for consumption on the premises as follows:

 At all times when the premises are authorised to be open for the sale of liquor, food of a range and style similar to the shown on any menu submitted or a range of snack foods in the nature of pies, sandwiches, filled rolls, pizzas and the like, shall be conveniently available for all members and their guests and the availability of those foodstuffs shall be notified to them by appropriate notices throughout the premises.
- (g) The Club Committee shall ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the sale and supply of liquor to prohibited persons are observed.

THE LICENSED PREMISES

In terms of Reg.13 of the Sale of Liquor Regulations 1990 the sale or supply or consumption of liquor is authorised in the st club premises generally. The premises located at level 3, Rankine Brown Building, Kelburn Parade, Wellington are more precisely identified as outlined in a plan date stamped as received by the Liquor Licensing Authority on 9 August 1999.

DISPLAY OF LICENCE

A copy of this licence shall be displayed in the interior of the premises so as to be easily read by persons using the premises

<u>DURATION</u>

Subject to the requirements of the Act relating to the payment of fees, and to the provisions of the Act relating to the suspension and cancellation of licences, this licence shall continue in force -

- (a) Until the close of the period of 1 year commencing with the date of its issue; or
- (b) If an application for the renewal of the licence is duly made, until the application is determined; or
- (c) If the licence is renewed, until the close of the period for which it is renewed.

DATED at WELLINGTON this Pub day of Progret 1999

R Barber
Deputy Secretary
LIQUOR LICENSING AUTHORITY

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