

Decision No. QLDLC 0019/15

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

AND

IN THE MATTER of application by AMY
BARBARA GREEN pursuant to s.219 of
the Act for a Manager's Certificate

BEFORE THE QUEENSTOWN LAKES DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

Chairman: Mr E. W. Unwin
Members: Ms M. W. Rose
Mr J. M. Mann

HEARING at QUEENSTOWN on 14th December 2015

APPEARANCES

Ms J Mitchell – Queenstown Lakes District Licensing Inspector – to assist
Sergeant L K Stevens – N Z Police – in opposition
No appearance by or on behalf of the applicant

DECISION OF THE COMMITTEE

[1] This application for a Manager's Certificate was filed with the agency in November 2014. The applicant is Amy Barbara Green. As required by the Act, the application was referred to the Police who suggested that Ms Green should have a minimum of 6 months relevant work experience in licensed premises. There was also concern that the reference was undated and did not define her terms of employment.

[2] A new reference was requested and received. As a result the Police withdrew their opposition. However in February 2015, the applicant advised the agency staff that she would be travelling and would return around July 2015. The application was kept on hold until that time.

[3] Subsequently the agency staff wrote to the applicant in September 2015. There was no response.

[4] Accordingly the matter was set down for a hearing Miss Green failed to appear, She carries the onus establishing the criteria set in section.222 of the Act, She is of course unable to do so. In those circumstances, her lack of interest in pursuing her application shows she is no longer a suitable applicant. The application is accordingly refused.

E W Unwin



Chairperson