

DLC Annual Return 2020

Using link: <https://consultations.justice.govt.nz/arla/ef025568> Survey completed 31/8/2020.

Question and Answers:

1. Please provide the name of your District Licensing Committee.

Palmerston North District Licensing Committee

2. Please provide the name, email, and contact phone number of your Committee's Secretary.

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3. Please name each of your licensing inspectors and provide their email and contact phone number.

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4. The following questions relate to the number of licences and managers' certificates your Committee issued and refused in the 2019-2020 financial year.

Note: the 2019-2020 financial year runs from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020.

Licences 2019-2020

In the 2019-2020 year, how many 'on licences' did your Committee issue? (16)

In the 2019-20 year, how many applications for 'on licences' did your Committee refuse? (0)

In the 2019-20 year, how many 'off licences' did your Committee issue? (1)

In the 2019-20 year, how many applications for 'off licences' did your Committee refuse? (0)

In the 2019-20 year, how many club licences did your Committee issue? (0)

In the 2019-20 year, how many applications for club licences did your Committee refuse? (0)

Manager's certificates 2019-2020

In the 2019-20 year, how many managers' certificates did your Committee issue? (269)

In the 2019-20 year, how many applications for managers' certificates did your Committee refuse? 0

In the 2019-20 year, how many applications for managers' certificates were withdrawn? 4

Licence renewals 2019-2020

In the 2019-20 year, how many licence renewals did your Committee issue? (51)

In the 2019-20 year, how many licence renewals did your Committee refuse? 0

5. Please comment on any changes or trends in the Committee's workload in 2019-20.

None

6. Please comment on any new initiatives the Committee has developed/adopted in 2019-2020.

None

7. Has your Committee developed a Local Alcohol Policy?

Yes

7A. If the answer is yes, what stage is your Local Alcohol Policy at?

Draft

8. If the answer to 7 is Yes, what effect do you consider your Local Alcohol Policy is having?

Currently no effect, as the Local Alcohol Policy is in draft until ratified (due to be ratified at Council Meeting on the 25 August 2020)

~~9. If the answer to 7A is 'in force', is your Local Alcohol Policy due for review?~~

~~N/A~~

~~10. If the answer to 9 is Yes, has such a review been undertaken; and, if so with what result?~~

~~Comment box~~

~~N/A~~

11. Please comment on the manner in which Covid-19 has impacted on DLC operations.

From the Chair's perspective:

We have changed Face to Face meetings to Zoom/Teams meetings to improve efficiency. This has continued as BAU.

There was confusion about Remote/off licensing during covid which meant some restaurants were unknowingly breaching their license. Mainly around offering a delivery service.

From the Inspector's perspective: Waivers for public notices were not being published within the required timeframe (when we came back to work). DLC were giving date extensions to a number of premises operating with Temporary Authorities (during

lockdown). Change of event dates on already issued special licences went back to DLC for approval.

12. Please comment on the ways in which you believe the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 is achieving its object. Note: the object of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 is that:
- a) *the sale, supply, and consumption of alcohol should be undertaken safely and responsibly; and*
 - b) *the harm caused by the excessive or inappropriate consumption of alcohol should be minimised.*
 - c) *to what extent, if any, do you consider that achievement of the object of the Act may have been affected by the Covid-19 pandemic?*

No Comment

thank you for completing your annual report.



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