

## Response ID ANON-56BN-TGBF-X

Submitted to Questions for DLC Annual Reports 2021-2022  
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### Questions relating to the make up of your DLC

1 Please provide the name of your District Licensing Committee, and a generic email address to which general correspondence will be certain of a response.

Answer Box:

Palmerston North District Licensing Committee  
governance@pncc.govt.nz

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

Answer Box:

Chris Dyhrberg, Acting Chief Executive  
chris.dyhrberg@pncc.govt.nz  
06 356 8199

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

Answer Box:

Shar Atkin  
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06 356 8199

Questions relating to the number of licences and managers' certificates your Committee issued and refused in the 2021-2022 financial year.

4A In the 2021-2022 year, how many total applications did your committee grant for new 'on licences' and to renew existing 'on licences'?

Answer Box:

57

4B In the 2021-2022 year, how many total applications did your committee refuse for new 'on licences' and to renew existing 'on licences'?

Answer Box:

1

4C In the 2021-2022 year, how many total applications did your committee grant for new 'off licences' and to renew existing 'off licences'?

Answer Box:

15

4D In the 2021-2022 year, how many total applications did your committee refuse for new 'off licences' and to renew existing 'off licences'?

Answer Box:

0

4E In the 2021-2022 year, how many total applications did your committee grant for new 'club licences' and to renew existing 'club licences'?

Answer Box:

9

4F In the 2021-2022 year, how many total applications did your committee refuse for new 'club licences' and to renew existing 'club licences'?

Answer Box:

0

4G In the 2021-2022 year, how many managers' certificates did your Committee issue?

Answer Box:

287

4H In the 2021-2022 year, how many applications for managers' certificates did your Committee refuse?

Answer Box:

1

4I In the 2021-2022 year, how many applications for managers' certificates were withdrawn?

Answer Box:

0

4J In the 2021-2022 year, how many licence renewals did your Committee issue?

Answer Box:

43 On, 13 Off, 9 Club

4K In the 2021-2022 year, how many licence renewals did your Committee refuse?

Answer Box:

1

4L In the 2021-2022 year, how many managers' certificate renewals did your Committee issue?

Answer Box:

186

4M In the 2021-2022 year, how many managers' certificate renewals did your Committee refuse?

Answer Box:

1

4N As at 30 June 2022 what is the total number of On-Licences (new and existing) in your licensing district?

Answer Box:

125

4O As at 30 June 2022 what is the total number of Off-Licences (new and existing) in your licensing district?

Answer Box:

44

4P As at 30 June 2022 what is the total number of Club-Licences (new and existing) in your licensing district?

Answer Box:

25

#### Questions relating to DLC Operations & Experiences in 2021-2022

5 Please comment on any changes or trends in the Committee's workload in 2021-2022.

Answer Box:

An increase in Special Licenses now more events are taking place  
Two public hearings, the result of one was not getting their license renewed

6 Please comment on any new initiatives the Committee has developed/adopted in 2021-2022.

Answer Box:

N/A

7A Has your Committee developed a Local Alcohol Policy?

Yes

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

Under Appeal to ARLA

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

Answer Box:

N/A - not in force yet

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

No

10 If the answer to 9 is Yes, has such a review been undertaken?

No

If yes, with what result?:

N/A

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

Answer Box:

Delays in responses from Public Health due to COVID-19

12 Please comment on the ways in which you believe the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 is, or is not, achieving its objectives. Note: the objectives of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 are 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.

Answer Box:

No comment

13 To what extent, if any, do you consider that achievement of the objectives of the Act may have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic?

Answer Box:

Delayed hearings due to staff availability

14 What changes or trends in licensing have you seen since the Act came into force?

Answer Box:

No comment

15 What changes to practices and procedures under the Act would you find beneficial?

Answer Box:

Would like to see power given to the Licensing inspectors to renew Manager's Certificates, and only if the Licensing Inspectors oppose an application would these go to the DLC. Renewals are straightforward unless there have been issues, and these can go to the DLC by exception. New Manager's applications should still go to the DLC as there is a lot more detail to check suitability, so unless there have been any issues with an applicant, a Renewal is straightforward as the applicant has already been approved by the DLC when they first apply to be a Manager.

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