

# Decision Notification

## Application Details

Application no.	219438
Licence No.	57008643
Licence Class	General & Hotel
Premises Name	Country Post and Bistro
Premises Address	193 Glencoe Road Glencoe SA 5291
Applicant	J.M. WALKER & T.M. EARL PTY LTD
Application Type	Application for a Liquor Licence

## Outcome

Decision	Granted
Effective Date	22 Feb 2023

## Requirements

The following requirements in support of the application have been satisfied:

- Landlord's consent has been obtained
- The application has been advertised
- All approvals, consents or exemptions have been obtained

## People

### Position of Authority

The following persons are approved to occupy any position of authority in the entity holding the licence:

- Julie Marie Walker (146570)
- Tameka Meg Walker (146571)

## Premises

### New Premises

The licensed area is outlined in red on the approved plan.

### Capacity

The capacity of the venue is set at 61.

## Community Impact Assessment

The application is a designated application for the purposes of section 53A of the Act.

In order to grant the application I must be satisfied that it is in the community interest to do so taking into account the harm that might be caused, the cultural, recreational, employment or tourism impacts and the social impact on the amenity of the locality.

I note that the applicant currently holds a packaged liquor sales licence at the premises and operates a bottle shop. The venue currently provides a number of services to the public from the premises including a bottle shop, general store, take away and cafe shop. They now seek to also include a beer garden and pizzeria and offer a bar service. They have therefore sought a different licence class to facilitate this.

I note that Glencoe is a small town of 633 people (as at 2021) located halfway between Mount Gambier and Millicent. There is currently only two licensed premises in the town, the packaged liquor sales licence held by the applicant and the Club licence held by the Glencoe Football Club.

Whilst they define their locality as Glencoe they also intend to draw customers from other nearby towns in the area. They have provided surveys from locals indicating their support for their application and their support of having a local licensed premises they can attend without the need to travel.

The licensee has held the packaged liquor sales licence since 2017 so has knowledge of operating a licensed venue and has indicated through their community impact submission their understanding of what is required when operating a premises where patrons are consuming liquor on the licensed premises.

I am of the opinion, given the significant lack of alternative licensed premises in the town, that the granting of this licence will support employment, tourism and have a positive impact on the social amenity of the locality and vibrancy of the town. There does not appear to be any evidence that the granting of this licence will likely cause any harm to the community or have any other negative impacts.

I am satisfied that the granting of this application is in the community interest.

## Authorisations

The following authorisations/restrictions are added to the licence

- Bottle Shop
- Sale of liquor for consumption on the licensed premises authorised
- Sale of liquor for consumption off the licensed premises authorised

## Trading hours

The following are the approved trading hours

	Consumption on premises	Consumption off premises
Monday	9:00 am to 10:30 pm	9:00 am to 10:00 pm
Tuesday	9:00 am to 10:30 pm	9:00 am to 10:00 pm
Wednesday	9:00 am to 10:30 pm	9:00 am to 10:00 pm
Thursday	9:00 am to 10:30 pm	9:00 am to 10:00 pm
Friday	9:00 am to Midnight	9:00 am to 10:00 pm
Saturday	9:00 am to Midnight	9:00 am to 10:00 pm
Sunday	9:00 am to 9:00 pm	9:00 am to 10:00 pm

## Reasons for Decision

In reaching my determination, I have had regard to the objects of the *Liquor Licensing Act 1997*.

## Under Delegation from the Liquor and Gambling Commissioner



Ashleigh Hughes

Manager, Liquor & Gaming  
22 Feb 2023

