Decision Notification

Application Details

Application no.	206545	
Licence No.	57213832	
Licence Class	Club	
Premises Name	Port Augusta Racing Club Inc	
Premises Address	243 Racecourse Road	
	Port Augusta SA 5700	
Applicant	Port Augusta Racing Club Inc	
Application Type	Application for a Liquor Licence	
Outcome		
Decision	Granted	
Effective Date	27 Apr 2021	
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Procedural		

I allow the applicant to vary their application as follows:

• amend the list of committee members to include all of the people listed under the heading 'People' below.

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

Committee Members

I note the following persons are part of the committee of management of the club:

- Trevor Warren Henley (54699)
- Jeffrey Mark Tansell (18263)
- John David Hogg (166879)
- Darren John Willis (59292)
- Michael Wayne Blake (78746)
- Darren Baird Bonetti (166880)
- Leon Dennis Fuller (166881)
- Geoffrey James Fullerton (166882)
- Trevor Garth Hall (166883)
- Anthony Douglas Mccoy (28669)
- Larry James McMahon (166884)
- Roger Phillip Mortimer (19171)
- Rieck John Shine (166885)
- Lorraine Janet Wilson (166886)



Premises

New Premises

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

Capacity

The capacity of the venue is set at 1201.

Authorisations

The following authorisations/restrictions are added to the licence

• Sale of liquor for consumption on the licensed premises authorised

Trading hours

The following are the approved trading hours		
	Consumption on premises	Consumption off premises
Monday	5:00 am to Midnight	-
Tuesday	5:00 am to Midnight	-
Wednesday	5:00 am to Midnight	-
Thursday	5:00 am to Midnight	-
Friday	5:00 am to Midnight	-
Saturday	5:00 am to Midnight	-
Sunday	8:00 am to Midnight	-

Reasons for Decision

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

The application is for the grant of a club licence in Port Augusta. Section 4 of the *Liquor Licensing Act 1997* (the Act) defines a designated application to mean a club licence in certain circumstances, including if, in the opinion of the licensing authority, the business conducted under the licence and activities on the premises will have a substantial adverse impact on the amenity of the locality in which those premises are situated in. An assessment was made by the licensing authority and it was determined that the premises would not have a substantially adverse impact on the amenity of the locality and, as such, that it does not fall within the definition of a designated licence for the purposes of section 4 of the Act.

The applicant has addressed the objects of the *Liquor Licensing Act 1997* (the Act) in their application and I am satisfied that the sale, supply and consumption of liquor will be undertaken safely and responsibly, consistent with the principle of responsible service and consumption of liquor and the expectations and aspirations of the public.

Pursuant to section 36(5) of the Act, a club licence may only be held by a club that is a non-profit association incorporated under the *Associations Incorporation Act 1986* (the Associations Act) or a company limited by guarantee under the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth). The applicant has provided a Certificate of Incorporation under the Associations Act (Incorporation Number A30303) and I am satisfied that the applicant is a non-profit association incorporated under the Associations Act for the purposes of section 36(5) of the Act and is therefore eligible to hold a club licence.

Section 36(7)(a) of the Act states that a club is not eligible to hold a club licence unless the licensing authority is satisfied that the club will be entitled to exclusive possession of the licensed premises at times when sale of liquor is authorised by the licence. The club has provided landlords consent from the Corporation of the City of Port Augusta and



I am satisfied that the club is entitled to exclusive possession of the licensed premises.

Section 36(7)(b) of the Act states that a club is not eligible to hold a club licence unless the licensing authority is satisfied that the rules of the club also make appropriate provision for a number of matters. I have reviewed the Constitution and Rules of the Port Augusta Racing Club Incorporated and I am satisfied that the rules of the club make appropriate provision for all of the matters provided for in section 36(7)(b) of the Act.

Section 56(1) of the Act requires that an applicant for a licence satisfy the licensing authority of certain matters. Section 56(1a) states that section 56(1) of the Act does not apply to an applicant for a club licence if the applicant informs the licensing authority of each member of the committee of management of the club and provides the information required by the licensing authority about each member. The applicant has provided the authority with the information required by the licensing authority.

Pursuant to section 57 of the Act, I am satisfied that the premises for which the licence is sought are of a sufficient standard for the purpose of carrying on business under the licence. Further, I am satisfied that the operation of the licence would be unlikely to result in undue offence, annoyance, disturbance or inconvenience to people who reside, work or worship in the vicinity of the premises and or to prejudice the safety or welfare of children attending kindergarten, primary school or secondary school in the vicinity of the premises.

Pursuant to section 72 of the Act, I am satisfied that the lessor has consented to the application.

I am satisfied that the grant of the licence would not be contrary to the public interest or inconsistent with the objects of the Act.

The application is granted.

Under Delegation from the Liquor and Gambling Commissioner

Natasha Kontzionis Manager, Liquor & Gambling 27 Apr 2021

