Decision No. QLDLC 0412/2026

IN THE MATTER of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 (The Act).

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by **HIGH GARDEN WINES LIMITED** situated at **147 GIBBSTON BACK ROAD, GIBBSTON, QUEENSTOWN** pursuant to s.127 of the Act for an application for the renewal of an off-licence.

BEFORE THE DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE

DECISION

THE APPLICATION

[1] An application was filed by HIGH GARDEN WINES LIMITED for the renewal of an off-licence in respect of premises situated at 147 GIBBSTON BACK ROAD, GIBBSTON, QUEENSTOWN, known as HIGH GARDEN WINES. The renewal application was lodged on 12th June 2025. This decision relates to licence number 68/OFF/0002/2023. It was considered in accordance with s.191(2) and s.131 of the Act.

[2] This is the second renewal for this licence.

[3] The nature of the business is bottle store and the principal business the sale of alcohol. Therefore, the application is considered on that basis.

[4] One certified manager is employed by the Licensee.

[5] The applications were correctly advertised, and no public objections were received. There were no matters in opposition from the Police or the Medical Officer of Health (MoH). The report on the applications from the Inspector was not unfavourable and contained some helpful commentary on the operation.

THE INSPECTOR

[6] The Inspector informed us the business is a remote seller of alcohol and has not come to notice for any breaches of the Act.

DECISION

[7] The Committee has considered the criteria in accordance with s.131 of the Act and the matter is dealt with on the papers.

[8] The renewal of the licence is granted.

[9] The licence is renewed until the **22nd day of July 2028** that being the anniversary date and three years since the issue of the licence being renewed.

DATED at Queenstown this 30th March 2026.

G B Pay
Commissioner
Queenstown Lakes District Licensing Committee