

Decision No. PH 1333/2009

IN THE MATTER

of the Sale of Liquor Act 1989

AND

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of an application by **SKYLER LEE WILLIAMS** pursuant to s.118 of the Act for a General Manager's Certificate

BEFORE THE LIQUOR LICENSING AUTHORITY

Quorum: Ms J D Moorhead
Mr P M McHaffie

HEARING at AUCKLAND on 27 October 2009

APPEARANCES

No appearance by or on behalf of applicant
Miss C A Veza – Auckland District Licensing Agency Inspector – in opposition

ORAL DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY

[1] Before the Authority is an application by Skyler Lee Williams for a General Manager's Certificate.

[2] The application was filed with the Auckland District Licensing Agency on 8 April 2009. The application was however, opposed by an Auckland District Licensing Agency Inspector on the basis that the applicant had failed to attend interviews on 3 June and 17 August 2009. The Inspector was therefore unable to assess Mr Williams' knowledge and understanding of the Sale of Liquor Act and his responsibilities as a duty manager.

[3] The matter was set down for a public hearing however, there has been no appearance by Mr Williams. We are unable to be satisfied as to the criteria set out in s.121 of the Act and we also make the reasonable assumption that he is no longer interested in pursuing the application. Indeed we have been advised by the Inspector that a message was left for Mr Williams on 22 October 2009 but that there has been no reply to that telephone message.

[4] Accordingly the application is now refused.

DATED at WELLINGTON this 3RD day of December 2009

B M Holmes
Deputy Secretary

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