

Southland District Liquor Licensing Accord

Hours of Trading for Hotels and Taverns

Objectives:

- To address the liquor reporting agencies concerns relating to 24 licensing in the interim, until the Southland District Licensing Agency revises the Southland District Sale of Liquor Policy after the Alcohol Reform Bill is passed by Parliament.
- To establish widely agreed hours of trading that apply consistently and fairly to all hotels and taverns in the District.
- To permit controlled trading past 3.00 am without licensees having to obtain special licences.

The Agency, Police, and Public Health South undertake:

- To not seek the variation of On and Off Licence conditions relating to hours of any hotel or tavern in any case where the licensee is a signatory of this Accord, subject to other concerns that may be raised by the reporting agencies, e.g. the manner in which the premises is operated.
- To consult with HANZ prior to directing a HANZ member licensee to limit the number of extension notifications, in any case where the reporting agencies consider the number of notifications to be excessive.

The Licensees undertake:

- To operate no later than:
 - Across the bar off-sales: 1.00 am
 - Last drinks: 2.30 am
 - Closing of premises: 3.00 am

And open no earlier than 5.00 am.

[These hours are not applicable to persons living on the premises or present for the purpose of dining; nor on Good Friday, Easter Sunday, Christmas Day, or before 1.00 pm on Anzac Day].

- To notify the nearest Police Station and the Officer in Charge of Liquor Licensing at the Winton Police Station, using the supplied standard form, at least 24 hours prior to any proposed operation after these hours, eg an international sporting event.
- To limit the number of extension notifications in accordance with any written direction from a Police Officer.

Start Date:

This Accord shall take effect from **15 June 2011**. This Accord will cease to have effect should a further Accord be developed by the Stakeholders, or in accordance with the implementation of the replacement of the Southland District Sale of Liquor Policy.

Signed: _____

Dated: _____

Licensed Premises:


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