

PUBLIC NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 Section 101

ASARA AAHAAR LIMITED, (THE LICENSEE, 49 Worcester Street, Central City, Christchurch), has made application to the District Licensing Committee at Christchurch for the issue of **ON-LICENCE NEW** in respect of the premises situated at **49 Worcester Street, Central City** known as **THE THIRSTY PEACOCK**.

The general nature of the business conducted under the licence is: **ON-LICENCE RESTAURANT CLASS 2**

The days on which and the hours during which alcohol is intended to be sold under the licence are:
MONDAY TO SUNDAY 8.00 AM TO 1.00 AM THE FOLLOWING DAY

The application may be inspected during ordinary office hours at the office of the Christchurch District Licensing Committee, 53 Hereford Street, Christchurch. Phone 941 8999 to arrange with the Alcohol Licensing Team.

Any person who is entitled to object and who wishes to object to the issue of the licence may, not later than 25 working days after the date of the first publication of this notice, file a notice in writing of the objection with the Secretary of the District Licensing Committee, P O Box 73013, Christchurch 8154.

No objection to the issue of a licence may be made in relation to a matter other than a matter specified in section 105(1) of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012.

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www.ccc.govt.nz/alcohol

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Application for new On-licence

Section 100, Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012

About this application:

Please ensure you have read the **Step-by-step guide** before you apply

www.ccc.govt.nz/consents-and-licences/business-licences-and-consents/alcohol/alcohol-licences

Please complete this form and then arrange a **Lodgement Meeting** appointment with an Alcohol Licensing Inspector in order to lodge your completed application and pay the associated fee. The Alcohol Licensing Team are located at Civic Offices, 53 Hereford Street, Christchurch 8154 and can be contacted by phone (03) 941 8999 or email alcohollicensing@ccc.govt.nz

This application cannot be accepted if the form is incomplete and documents are missing. You will be given an invoice at the Lodgement meeting. Filing is not complete unless your invoice is paid.

Note: All application fees are for processing of an application and are non-refundable, they must be paid when you apply.

We can only process your application once we have both the Proof of Payment of fees AND the required paperwork (application form and required documents).

Accepted methods of payment are: CASH – EFTPOS – Internet Banking.

Any questions contact the Alcohol Licensing Team to discuss and for more information, ph 03 941 8999 or alcohollicensing@ccc.govt.nz

Endorsements: (state by type every endorsement sought) Caterer BYO only

1. New application for:

a. Trading name: The Thirsty Peacock

b. Licensee: Asara Aahaar Limited

2. Lodgement meeting, Fees Calculation Invoice and Payment

(Refer fees information sheet) To be completed at lodgement meeting with inspector before invoicing.

At the Lodgement meeting an inspector will – check the application for **completeness**, **confirm the risk weighting** and fees payable, and issue the invoice for payment.

Weighting and fees calculation

- a. Type of licensed premises: Restaurant -class 2 Weighting: 10
- b. Latest alcohol sale time: 1am Weighting: 0
- c. Enforcements: NONE Weighting: 0
- d. Total weighting: Fee Category: Very low Low Medium High Very high
- e. Fees payable: Application fee: \$ Annual fee: \$
- f. Premises Certificate of Compliance 816.50
(alcohol) application lodged? Yes No If YES, Certificate already issued and attached? Yes No

Council Use Only

Connect Invoice number:

Receipt No.:

Date:

3. Details of applicant

Please give legal name as appears on Birth Certificate or Passport

a. Company name or full legal name(s) if individual to be on licence:

Asara Aahaar Limited

f. Website: thirstypeacock.co.nz

i. Daytime Contact Name: Amit Gautam

j. Preferred mode of contact:

k. Status of applicant: (tick appropriate box)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Person | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Company | <input type="checkbox"/> Trustee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing Trust | <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Company |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government Department | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Authority | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Manager under the protection of Personal and Property Rights Act 1988 | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Body Corporate to which section 28(1)(b) of the Act applies. Authority incorporated under: | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Board, organization, or other body to which section 28(1)(c) | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Incorporated Society | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | |

4. Details of all Managers appointed for the premises

a. Full list of all details of all manager(s) to be employed and Certificate Numbers of Manager's Certificate(s):
 (Please attach separate sheet if required)

Name:	Known as:	Address:	Certificate number, or if no certificate held confirm if they have applied for one	Expiry Date
Amit Gautam	Amit	[REDACTED]	60/CERT/605/2025	04/11/2026
Kaljeet Kaur	Jot	[REDACTED]	60/CERT/512/2018	06/09/2028

Note: please remember to complete a separate **Notice of Duty Manager Appointment or Change form** for all appointments or termination of duty managers.

5. Further details of where applicant is a company

a. Date of incorporation: 6th Oct 2025

b. Place of incorporation: Christchurch

c. Full details of each director, and the secretary (if any), as follows:

Full name:	Address:	Date of birth:	Place of birth:	Designation:	Face value of shares held:
Amit Gautam	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

d. Private Company only: Authorised Capital: NA Paid-up Capital:

e. Private Company: Full details of each person who holds any shares issued by the company:

Full name:	Address:	Date of birth:	Place of birth:	Designation:	Face value of shares held:
Sarala Adhikari	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Amit Gautam	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

f. Public Company: Full details of each person who holds 20 percent or more of the shares, or of any particular class of shares, issued by the company.

Full name:	Address:	Date of birth:	Place of birth:	Designation:	Face value of shares held:

6. Further details of where applicant is a partnership

a. Full details of each partner as follows:

Full name:	Address:	Date of birth:	Place of birth:	Designation:	Face value of shares held:

b. Signature of each partner:

7. Premises details

a. Legal address of premises:

49-59 Worcester Boulevard, Christchurch Central 8013

Is this premises location known by any other address?

312 Montreal Street, Christchurch Central 8013

b. Proposed trading name for premises (if any): **The Thirsty Peacock**

c. Is a licence already held for this premises? Yes No If yes, licence number:

d. Do you hold a current Temporary Authority to trade on that licence? Yes No

e. Is a licence sought conditional upon construction/completion of the premises? Yes No

f. Does the applicant own the proposed licensed premises? Yes No

If NO:

Owners full name: Christchurch City Council

Owners address: 53 Hereford Street, Christchurch Central 8013

Form and term of tenure (state whether to be held as leasehold, or under tenancy agreement, or licence):

Leaseholder till Nov 2027, **renewal** right for 5 years after this

NB: Additional information and/or signed documents may be requested in some instances to confirm tenure.

g. **Details of premises area:**

The proposed licensed areas to include: (Please attach plans annotated with proposed licensed area)

Internal areas include: plan attached

Outside areas include: plan attached

Any leased public space areas? Yes No If YES, please attach copy of the signed lease with plans.

NB: Please attach plans annotated with licensed area

h. What part (if any) of the premises does the applicant intend should be designated as:

- **Restricted designation:** no person under 18 may be present on the premises.
- **Supervised designation:** persons under 18 may be present, but only if accompanied by a parent, or legal guardian, i.e. Court appointed. Those under 18 cannot be sold alcohol, but may be supplied by the parent or guardian.
- **Un-designated:** Any person of any age may be present on the premises. Those under 18 cannot be served alcohol, but may be supplied by their parent, or legal guardian.

NB: Any designated areas MUST be marked on the plan for the premises

A restricted area: NA

A supervised area: NA

i. **FIRE SAFETY – Section 100(d):** I certify that the Building Owner has confirmed with me that the building: has does not require an Evacuation Scheme for public safety which meets the requirements of section 76 of the Fire and Emergency New Zealand Act 2017.

Name of owner: Christchurch City Council

Registered Evacuation Schemes required when:

- The building can hold more than 100 people;
- There are more than 10 employees in the entire building; or
- Overnight accommodation is provided for more than 5 people.

Please contact Fire and Emergency NZ (telephone 372 8600) for more information about evacuation schemes and fire safety requirements.

8. Business details Please attach separate sheet if required

a. What is the general nature of the business to be conducted by the applicant in the premises if the licence is granted? (e.g. hotel, tavern, restaurant, entertainment/nightclub.)

Cafe & Restaurant

b. Is the sale of alcohol intended to be the principal purpose of the business? Yes No

If NO, what is intended to be the principal purpose of the business?

Cafe and Bistro type food

c. Is the applicant engaged, or intending to be engaged, in the sale or supply of any goods other than alcohol and food, or in the provision of any services other than those directly related to the sale or supply of alcohol and food? Yes No

If YES, what is the nature of those other goods or services?

d. On which days and during which hours does the applicant intend to sell alcohol under this licence?

Monday to Sunday ~~7:30am~~ - 1:00am

8am

e. **BYO Restaurants only:** Does the applicant wish to have the licence endorsed under Section 37 of the Act? Yes No

f. **Full On-licence:** Are you also intending to permit BYO? Yes No

9. Conditions Please attach separate sheet if required

The following questions relate to Host Responsibility. In conjunction with completing the questions, you should provide with this application a copy of your Host Responsibility Policy' by using the guidelines on our website at ccc.govt.nz/alcohol

a. What provisions does the applicant intend to make for the sale and supply of alcohol?

- Food (attach menu's, including all day or snack menu):

Attached

- Non-alcoholic refreshments:

Non Alcoholic beverage available

- Low-alcoholic beverages (Between 1.1% and 2.5%ALC):

Low alcoholic beverage and free water available

- Alcohol range available (attach full drinks menu)

Attached

b. What steps does the applicant propose to take to provide assistance with or information about alternative forms of transport from the club, for staff and patrons?

There will be signage at all times showing alternative transport options available, all staff will be trained in what alternative transport options there are and how to provide these to customers at all times. training staff also how to organise designated drivers in groups of customers. Making sure free free phones are available for customers to use to call alternative forms of transport, taxis, dial a driver, uber etc

c. What other steps does the applicant propose to take aimed at promoting the responsible consumption of alcohol?

Making sure that there is always a good range of non alcoholic beverages offered and available at all times.
Making sure that there is a good range of low alcohol beverages offered and available at all times.
Making sure that there is a good range of food available and offered at all times.

d. What steps does the applicant propose to take to ensure that the requirements of the Act in relation to the sale of alcohol to prohibited persons (i.e. minors, intoxicated persons, other persons to whom alcohol may not be sold pursuant to the licence) are observed?

Making sure that there are duty managers on at all times and that all staff are fully trained in knowing how to ask for Proof of age, being able to identify intoxication and being able to deal with these situations if and when they appear. Making sure that all staff are full trained and aware of the conditions of our license and of the sale and supply act.

e. To what extent, where, and how is drinking water intended to be freely available to patrons? (i.e. explain whether water is bar service only, water jugs, or plumbed water stations and locations)

Water will be freely available at the bar and also will be served to all customers with the staff topping these up at all times.

f. What appropriate systems, staff and training does/will the applicant have in place to ensure compliance with the law?

At all times that the business is operating there will be a duty manger on at all times who will be adhering to the Sale and Supply of alcohol act. All staff will be trained by appropriate managers to follow and adhere to the sale and supply of Alcohol act as well.

g. What are the current and possible future noise levels and how does the applicant intend to mitigate them?

The premises is fully sound proof, so no sound is audible outside the premises.

h. What are the current and possible future levels of nuisance and vandalism and how does the applicant intend to mitigate them?

We have very little vandalism or problems in this area because all of the businesses adhere to good operating practices, Most businesses have CTV cameras operating and there seems to always be a good police presence about which has lead to very few problems in this area. All staff will be trained in the appropriate ways pursuant to the sale and supply of Alcohol act which should lead to very few issues happening.

- i. What other licensed premises are there in the vicinity of this proposed premises? And, will the granting of this licence contribute to an increase in alcohol related problems in the area? (Explain)

We are based inside the art gallery and no other restaurant are nearby, another restaurant which is fiddlestick is across the street which also mainly focus on food and dining so there will be less problem related to alcohol

- j. What is the land near the proposed premises being used for? Will the granting of a licence for your premises impact on changing neighbouring land use? If so, in what way?

We are in the city and inside the art gallery, one side is attached with the street and another side is attached with art gallery so there will be zero impact.

10. Please attach the following documents:

You must provide the following prescribed documents (your application will not be accepted without these documents)

- Floor plans annotated to show licensed area (for whole of premises, including any outside area and mark any restricted or supervised designated areas)
- Leased outside areas – Footpath, public or private space lease details and plan if held for any outside areas (annotated to show licensed area)
- Photo of principle entrance to the premises
- Certificate of Incorporation (including the extract details of directors and shareholders)
- Premises Certificate of Compliance (Alcohol)

You should also provide the following documents to assist with assessment of your application (if these are not provided this will delay assessment of your application)

- Duty Manager appointment forms for all your duty managers
- Food Menu
- Drinks/ beverage menus
- Host Responsibility Policy (NB: If you are permitting BYO, you will need to indicate how you will manage BYO on your premises)
- Background information on applicant(s) and Directors – business experience and training experience in the hospitality industry (a brief CV outlining work history would assist)
- Background information on the Operational Manager (if not to be the licensee) – experience and training in the hospitality industry (a brief CV would assist)
- Any other information you wish to include to support your application, e.g. business plan, promotional materials etc

Notes:

- The Agencies may request to inspect a copy of your staff training plan/manuals.
- Tenure (Q7f) – Additional information and/or signed documents may be requested in some instances to confirm tenure.
- Please remember to complete a separate **Notice of Duty Manager Appointment or Change form for any new Duty Manager appointments or termination of Duty Managers** and provide a copy to both the Alcohol Licensing Team and the Police, as detailed on the form ccc.govt.nz/consents-and-licences/business-licences-and-consents/alcohol/managers-certificate/notification-of-management-change

Important to note – Public notification of application

All alcohol licence application public notices are published on the dedicated webpage located on ccc.govt.nz/alcohol. Applications are no longer required to be published in the local newspaper.

1. We will take care of the publication of your public notice when you make your application to us.
 - There is a small administration charge for our assistance in loading the content onto the licensing notification webpage. The fee will need to be paid in advance of publication.
 - Your notice will be published within a week of your application being received and the public notice fee being paid.
2. We will send you a copy of the published notice for your records at the same time we send you the front entrance notice for display on your premises. You will need to display the notice on your main entrance for at least 25 working days.
3. Except in the case of a conveyance, within 10 working days after filing this application with the District Licensing Committee, the applicant must ensure that notice of this application is attached in a conspicuous place on or adjacent to the site to which this application relates (unless the Secretary of the District Licensing Committee agrees that it is impracticable or unreasonable to do so).

11. Payment

You will be issued an invoice at your lodgement meeting when you file your application. **Payment of Fees MUST be made immediately on receiving the invoice.**

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12. Authorisation You must complete this section in full

Have you completed ALL relevant sections of this form and attached ALL requested documents? Yes No

Incomplete applications WILL be returned. **We can only process your application once we have BOTH the Proof of Payment of fees AND the required paperwork (application form and required documents).**

Privacy Statement

Information contained in your application and any supporting information will be held by Christchurch City Council to enable your application to be processed under the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012. Please note, your full application, including name and contact details will be used by Council staff to assess and provided to decision makers. Your application, with names only will be available on our website. However, if requested under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987, we may disclose applications including personal details. If you feel there are reasons why your contact details and/or personal details should be kept confidential, please contact us.

The information will be provided to the statutory reporting agencies (the Police, the Medical Officer of Health, and the Council's Licensing Inspectors) for the purposes of assessing and reporting on your application, and to the Christchurch District Licensing Committee for the purposes of making a decision on your application. This information may form part of a public hearing of your application before the Christchurch District Licensing Committee and may be used in the Committee's decision for your application. Decisions will be made publicly available.

The Council is required to keep a record of every premises licence application (including for renewals and variations) filed with the District Licensing Committee and the Committee's decision on it. This information (which includes the application and all attachments) is made available to the Council's Licensing Inspectors, the Medical Officer of Health, and the Police for the purposes of monitoring ongoing compliance with any licence conditions and undertakings, Duty Manager appointments, and the Act.

The Council is required to report statistics about applications to the Alcohol Regulatory and Licensing Authority.

Any member of the public may, under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987, request access to information held by the Council. The Privacy Act 2020 applies to the Council and under that Act, you have the right to see and correct personal information that the Council holds about you.

13. Lodgement meeting and invoicing

Please make an appointment with an alcohol licensing Inspector for a Lodgement meeting. The inspector will confirm your fees and issue your invoice for payment. Your application will not be accepted without this meeting. Phone (03) 941 8999 for an appointment.

14. Processing Timelines:

Manager Certificate applications should be made well before your certificate is required. On average about 5-6 weeks is required for a standard application to allow for processing, statutory reporting on your application, and issuing of a District Licensing Committee (DLC) decision on your licence. Timelines will be longer if there are agency oppositions or missing information on your application. More information about statutory timelines can be found at ccc.govt.nz/alcohol

Lodgement notes – for office use only