

4 March 2025

Email: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED],

Local Government Official Information Request

Thank you for your request for information from Council. All requests to the Council for information are required to be considered in accordance with the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA). More information about how the Council handles LGOIMA requests can be found in the Council's LGOIMA Request Policy which is available on the Council's website.

Your request for information was received on 5 February 2025 and related to licences that were operating in the Rangitikei District as at 31 December 2024.

1. How many off-licences were operating in your territorial authority boundaries as at 31st December 2024 (if you cannot confirm at that specific date, how many off-licences do you currently have operating in your territorial authority boundaries? Please kindly confirm which date you have used).

Response:

As at 31st December 2024 there were 13 off-licences operating in the Rangitikei District.

2. Of these, please advise how many are endorsed under section 40 (i.e. remote sellers only).

Response:

None of these off-licences were endorsed under section 40.

3. We are interested in getting a sense of how many licensees are engaging in remote delivery, and while we understand that off-licences not endorsed under section 40 can start delivering remotely without notifying you, if you have any figures for off-licences that have delivered remotely in the last year we would appreciate seeing that as well.

Response:

Making this place home.

The Rangitikei District Council does not have any figures on how many licences are delivering remotely.

4. How many on-licences were operating in your territorial authority boundaries as at 31st December 2024 (if you cannot confirm at that specific date, how many off-licences do you currently have operating in your territorial authority boundaries? Please kindly confirm which date you have used).

Response:

As at 31st December 2024 there were 19 on-licences operating in the Rangitikei District.

5. A copy of your most recent annual report to the Alcohol Regulatory & Licensing Authority (ARLA).

Response:

You will find all the ARLA reports on our website – here is a link to the page [Alcohol and Regulatory Licensing Authority Reports: Rangitikei District Council](https://www.rangitikei.govt.nz/council/about/contact-us/official-information)

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that it is our policy to proactively release our responses to official information requests, where appropriate. Our response to your request will be published shortly at <https://www.rangitikei.govt.nz/council/about/contact-us/official-information> with your personal information removed.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Alicia Hansen 06 327 0099.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Car. Gl', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Carol Gordon

Deputy Chief Executive / Group Manager Strategy, Community & Democracy