TAKE notice that pursuant to the provisions of the Licensing Amendment Act 1948, the Commission, after rehearing the claim, has now awarded the following amount of compensation to the undermentioned owners consequent upon cancellation of the publican's licence in respect of the premises shown below:

- "Empire" Hotel at Hokitika:
 - Denis Hardy Thomas and Kathleen Nora Thomas, care of Hannan and Seddon, Solicitors, Greymouth, as co-owners, the sum of £4,029.

And further take notice that no person (other than the above-named persons and other than a person claiming a lien as mortgagee) shall be entitled to receive the compensation of make any claim in respect of the compensation awarded unless notice in writing of such claim, stating whether compensation is claimed by him as owner or as licensee, is lodged with the Commission within six weeks of 13 January 1955, being the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*; and further take notice that any mortgagee from an owner or licensee shall, upon giving written notice to the Commission within one month after 13 January aforesaid, have a lien on the amount of com-pensation payable to the mortgagor for the amount of the mortgage debt and any interest or other charges owing to the mortgage under or in respect of the mortgage. The previous award of compensation published in the *Gazette* on 20 May 1954, in so far as it concerns the ''Empire'' Hotel, Hokitika, is hereby revoked. Dated at Wellington this 23rd day of December 1954.

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E. R. GRAHAM, Secretary.

Licensing Control Commission, Government Buildings Annexe, hitmore Street, P.O. Box 5012 (Telephone 43-418), Whitmore ` Wellington C. 1.

RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND AS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON WEDNESDAY, 15 DECEMBER 1954

Liabilities		Assets		
	£ s. d.	ft s. d.		
2. General Reserve Fund	1,500,000 0 0	8. Reserve—		
3. Bank notes	77,420,578 0 0	$(a) \text{ Gold} \dots 6,174,983 11 9$		
4. Demand liabilities—		(b) Sterling exchange* 49,223,443 19 1		
(a) State-		(c) Gold exchange		
(i) Government Marketing		(d) Other exchange 372,118 16 0		
Accounts	1,331,381 4 0	9. Subsidiary coin 591,690 12 6		
(ii) Other	11,840,039 11 3	10. Discounts-		
$(b) Banks \dots \dots$	65,099,717 7 1	(a) Commercial and agricultural bills		
(c) Other-	390.763 1 7	(b) Treasury and local-body bills		
(i) Marketing organizations (ii) Other demand liabilities	390,763 1 7 5,228,248 0 6	(a) To the State or State undertak-		
5 Time deposits	5,226,240 0 0	ings—		
6. Liabilities in currencies other than New	*****	(i) Government Marketing		
Zealand currency	91,403 10 10	Accounts 509,415 15 2		
7. Other liabilities	7,388,341 13 9	(ii) For other purposes 49,109,737 9 5		
	.,	(b) To other public authorities		
		(c) Other—		
		(i) Marketing organizations 9,607,483 1 11		
		(ii) Other advances 20,213,749 18 11		
		12. Investments—		
		(a) Sterling* 23,140,974 9 3		
		(b) Other $10,300,306$ 4 7		
		13. Bank buildings		
		14. Other assets 1,046,568 10 5		
f(N.Z.)170,290,472 9 0		\pounds (N.Z.) 170,290,472 9 0		

* Expressed in New Zealand currency.

W. R. EGGERS, Chief Accountant.

RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND AS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON WEDNESDAY, 22 DECEMBER 1954

Liabilities			Assets			
	£ s.	d.		£s	s. d.	
2. General Reserve Fund	1,500,000 0	0	8. Reserve-			
3. Bank notes	79,295,242 10	0	(a) Gold	6,174,990 1	69	
4. Demand liabilities—			(b) Sterling exchange*	49,628,464 1	8 0	
(a) State—			(c) Gold exchange			
(i) Government Marketing			(d) Other exchange	209,675 1		
Accounts	1,331,209 14	4	9. Subsidiary coin	595,775 1	$2 \ 9$	
(ii) Other	8,210,445 3	2	10. Discounts—			
(b) Banks	70,643,199 8	0	(a) Commercial and agricultural bills			
(c) Other—	901 959 7	4	(b) Treasury and local-body bills 11. Advances—	•••••		
(i) Marketing organizations (ii) Other demand liabilities	$\begin{array}{rrrr} 291,353 & 7 \\ 2,366,923 & 1 \end{array}$	3	(a) To the State or State undertak-			
5 Time denosite	2,000,020 1	0	ings-			
6. Liabilities in currencies other than New			(i) Government Marketing			
Zealand currency	115,146 14	5	Accounts	508,629	3 7	
7. Other liabilities	7,404,516 14	5		50,461,976		
	, ,		(b) To other public authorities	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
			(c) Other—			
				18,718,286 11		
				10,518,749 18	3 11	
			12. Investments—			
				23,140,974 9		
				10,302,688 17	73	
			13. Bank buildings	007 000 10		
			14. Other assets	897,823 19	1 4	
£ (N.Z.)	171,158,036 12	11	£(N.Z.)1'	71,158,036 12	11	
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* Expressed in New Zealand currency.