

**IN THE MATTER OF**

The Private Security Personnel and  
Private Investigators Act 2010

**AND**

**IN THE MATTER OF**

Complaint by The Police under s 74 of  
the Act against **SCOTT KIMBER**

**HEARD** by telephone on 18 June 2021

**APPEARANCES**

Sergeant M Arnold for NZ Police

S Kimber – no appearance

**DECISION**

[1] The Police are asking for Scott Kimber's certificate of approval to be cancelled because in May 2021 he was convicted of unlawful possession a fire arm and sentenced to 150 hours community work and 12 months supervision. This conviction is grounds for disqualification under s 62 of the Act.

[2] Section 82 of the Act provides that when a certificate holder, such as Mr Kimber, is convicted of a disqualifying conviction I must cancel his certificate if I am satisfied that because of this, he is no longer suitable to hold a certificate.

[3] The Police advise that Mr Kimber also has a 2019 conviction for contravening a protection order. In addition, he is currently facing two new charges of burglary. He failed to appear on court on 21 May on these charges and a warrant was issued for his arrest.

[4] Mr Kimber neither attended the hearing nor made any written submissions in response to the Police complaint. Therefore, based on the evidence before me I am satisfied that Mr Kimber is no longer suitable to be a certificate holder.

[5] Mr Kimber's certificate of approval is accordingly cancelled effective from the date of this order.

**DATED** at Wellington this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 2021

The image shows a handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read 'P A McConnell'. To the right of the signature is a circular official seal. The seal features a central crest with a crown and two figures holding a shield. The text around the perimeter of the seal reads 'THE PRIVATE SECURITY PERSONNEL LICENSING AUTHORITY'.

P A McConnell  
**Private Security Personnel Licensing Authority**