## **IN THE MATTER OF**

Complaint by The Police under s 74 of the Private Security Personnel and Private Investigators Act 2010 against ANDREW FALETOLU

## **DECISION**

- [1] The police have laid a complaint against Andrew Mr Faletolu as they consider he is no longer suitable to be a certificate holder. Mr Faletolu has amassed 58 separate convictions since 1987 including convictions for offences of violence, dishonesty, and drugs. Since being granted a certificate Mr Faletolu's has been convicted of driving while disqualified for the 11<sup>th</sup> time. He is also facing other driving offences.
- [2] In addition to his driving offences Mr Faletolu has been convicted on three charges of breach of community work and for breaching the conditions of his community detention since August 2020. Mr Faletolu also wrongly declared in his application for a certificate that he had no convictions. Making a false statement in his application for a certificate is discretionary grounds for cancelling Mr Faletolu's certificate of approval.
- [3] Mr Faletolu neither responded to the police complaint nor attended the hearing into the complaint. Based on the evidence before me I am satisfied that Mr Faletolu is no longer suitable to be a responsible security employee. I accordingly make the following orders:
  - a) Mr Faletolu's certificate of approval is cancelled effective immediately.
  - b) Mr Faletolu is to return his certificate and official ID to the Authority within 7 days of the receipt of this order.

**DATED** at Wellington this 17<sup>th</sup> day of November 2022

P A McConnell

**Private Security Personnel Licensing Authority**