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COMMERCIAL OTHER – SUBSIDIARY ON PREMISES LICENCE (CATERER) –
PORT DOUGLAS CATERING, 16/34 MACROSSAN STREET, PORT DOUGLAS

Susanna Andrews: 432053

PROPOSAL: COMMERCIAL OTHER – SUBSIDIARY ON
PREMISES LICENCE (CATERER)

APPLICANT: OFFICE OF LIQUOR & GAMING REGULATION
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE & ATTORNEY
GENERAL
LOCKED BAG 180
CITY EAST QLD 4002

LOCATION: PORT DOUGLAS CATERING
16/34 MACROSSAN STREET
PORT DOUGLAS QLD 4877

PROPERTY: LOT 1 ON BUP106711

LOCALITY: PORT DOUGLAS AND ENVIRONS

PLANNING AREA: COMMERCIAL

PLANNING SCHEME: DOUGLAS SHIRE PLANNING SCHEME 2008

REFERRAL AGENCIES: NONE APPLICABLE

REQUEST RECEIVED 22 OCTOBER 2014

ATTACHMENT: 1. REQUEST

LOCALITY PLAN**RECOMMENDATION:**

That the applicant and the Office of Liquor & Gaming Regulation, Department of Justice & Attorney-General, be advised that Council does not object to the Application for Commercial Other – Subsidiary on Premises Licence (Caterer) for Port Douglas Catering, 16/34 Macrossan Street, Port Douglas, also described as Lot 16 on BUP106711.

INTRODUCTION:**Port Douglas Catering**

A request for Council's comment has been submitted by the Office of Liquor & Gaming Regulation, Department of Justice & Attorney-General, for the Port Douglas Catering, located at 16/34 Macrossan Street, Port Douglas, and described as Lot 16 on BUP106711. The request is in relation to an application received by the Department for a Commercial Other – Subsidiary on Premises Licence (Caterer). A copy of the request is attached as *Attachment 1*.

Type of Licence: Commercial Other – Subsidiary on Premises Licence (Caterer)

If the licence is granted it would enable the holder to sell liquor whilst catering for functions away from the licensed premises and must involve the provision of food prepared by the licensee when liquor is supplied.

Planning Scheme Requirements

The land is included within the Commercial Planning Area. There are no planning concerns with regard to the approved use on the site.

General Policy – Liquor Licensing

The proposed application is consistent with Council's General Policy – Liquor Licensing No 1:04:14.

Discussion/Comments

Comments in relation to the proposed Liquor Licence were received from the Mayor, Council's Community and Economic Development Officer and Council's Environmental Health Officer.

Mayor

The Mayor was forwarded the attached request and she advised that the existing General Policy is supported.

Council's Community & Economic Development Officer

The request for comment was forwarded to the Community and Economic Development Officer to provide comments on behalf of the CEO Unit.

The Community and Economic Development Officer supports the application provided that Responsible Service of Alcohol and Responsible Promotion of Alcohol standards are met.

Environmental Health Officer

Environmental Health & Regulatory Services has assessed this application and offers no objection or concerns with the proposal, on the condition that the operators have obtained a licence to sell food associated with the liquor licensing conditions, and that the proposal does not involve modifications that necessitate an application to construct or refit a food premises.

COUNCIL'S ROLE

Council can play a number of different roles in certain circumstances and it is important to be clear about which role is appropriate for a specific purpose or circumstance. The implementation of actions will be a collective effort and Council's involvement will vary from information only through to full responsibility for delivery.

The following areas outline where Council has a clear responsibility to act:


Regulator: Meeting the responsibilities associated with regulating activities through legislation or local law.

Under the *Sustainable Planning Act 2009* and the *Sustainable Planning Regulation 2009*, Council is the assessment manager for the application.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Request

ATTACHMENT 1: REQUEST

DOUGLAS SHIRE COUNCIL		 Queensland Government
File Name	Received Liquor Licence	
Document No		Office of Liquor and Gaming Regulation Department of Justice and Attorney-General
	22 OCT 2014	
Attention	EP	
Information		

Please quote: 904179/LAB05
 Contact officer: Customer Support Team
 Contact Number: (07) 3224 7131

Chief Executive Officer
 Douglas Shire Council
 PO Box 723
 MOSSMAN QLD 4873

Dear Sir/Madam

PORT DOUGLAS CATERING - PORT DOUGLAS

Application for Commercial Other – Subsidiary on Premises (Caterer)
Real Property Description: Lot 16 on BUP 106711, County of Solander, Parish of Salisbury.

Applicant's Contact Details: Mr. Robert Palethorpe (Solicitor), Phone: 4099 6191, Email: rppale@bigpond.net.au

An application for a liquor licence for a premises within your area of authority has been received at this office. Details of the application are as follows:

Applicant:	Far North Catering & Events Pty Ltd
Name of Premises:	Port Douglas Catering
Street Address:	Shop 16, 34 Macrossan Street, Port Douglas
Proposed Trading Hours:	10:00 AM to 12:00 AM - Monday to Sunday
Type of Licence:	Commercial Other – Subsidiary on Premises (Caterer)

Should this licence be granted it would enable the holder thereof to sell liquor whilst catering for functions away from the licensed premises and must involve the provision of food prepared by the licensee when liquor is supplied.

By law, the relevant local government authority for the locality must be informed of the application and afforded the opportunity to:

- Comment on the reasonable requirements of the public in the locality.
- Object to the grant of the application on the grounds that the amenity, quiet or good order of the locality would be lessened.

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If you do not support the application, your comments or objection should include full particulars of:

- The grounds upon which the objection is made.
- The facts, evidence or reasons upon which it is based.

The Commissioner cannot rely on statements that merely indicate the council does not support, or objects to the application.

Please note that any comments or objection provided may be referred to the applicant.

Compliance with local town planning requirements is requested to be confirmed in your reply to this letter.

Please advise whether you have any comments on, or objections to, the granting of the application. Under section 117(3) of the *Liquor Act 1992*, your comments or objection should be received by 4 November 2014.

If you require clarification on any of these matters, please do not hesitate to contact the Customer Support Team on telephone (07) 3224 7131.

Yours sincerely


MICHAEL SARQUIS
Executive Director
20 / 10 / 2014