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EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

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PURPOSE

The intention of the amendment is to extend the trading hours during which liquor can be sold for consumption on licensed premises for New Years Day 1 January 1997.

BACKGROUND

The Australian Hotels Association has requested a relaxation of the trading hour restriction for the sale of liquor for consumption on licensed premises on the morning of 1 January 1997.

DETAILS OF THE AMENDMENT

For 1 January 1997 regulation 3A is amended to allow the sale of liquor for consumption on licensed premises between the hours of 4.00am and 6.00am by omitting 4.00am and substituting 6.00am from subregulation (1) AND paragraph (3)(a).

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Nil