No. 53 of 1976

An Ordinance to amend the Licensing Ordinance

[Assented to 12 November 1976]

B^E it ordained by the Legislative Assembly for the Northern Territory of Australia as follows:

- 1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Licensing Ordinance 1976. short title
- 2. The *Licensing Ordinance* is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.
- 3.(1) Section 15A(1) of the Principal Ordinance is amended by Private hotel omitting "but" and substituting "but, subject to sub-section (1A),".
- (2) Section 15A of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting after sub-section (1) the following sub-sections:
- "(1A) Where a private hotel licence is granted in respect of premises—
 - (a) that are situated on a reserve within the meaning of the National Parks and Gardens Ordinance; and
 - (b) that are not within 30 kilometres by the shortest practicable route by land along or over a public road or thoroughfare of premises in respect of which a publican's, storekeeper's or roadside inn licence is in force,

the licensee may, subject to sub-section (1B), sell and dispose of liquor in the same manner, to the same persons and subject to the same conditions, as the holder of a publican's licence under section 15 can sell and dispose of liquor.

- "(1B) Liquor sold or disposed of on premises referred to in subsection (1A) shall be sold or disposed of in open containers for consumption on those premises only.".
- **4.** Section 36 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by adding at Objections to the end the following new sub-section:
- "(3) In addition to the grounds specified in sub-section (2), it shall be grounds for objecting to the renewal of a storekeeper's licence that the quiet and good order of the neighbourhood in which the premises are situated has been, or will be, disturbed by the renewal of the licence."

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