



Transport and Resources Committee

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Make a submission to the inquiry into the economic and regulatory frameworks for Queensland's island resorts

**SUBMISSIONS
CLOSE
4.00PM
THURSDAY
7 APRIL 2022**

What is the inquiry about?

The inquiry will examine and report on current regulatory frameworks that exist for Great Barrier Reef Island Resorts as they contribute to Queensland's tourism economy and regional communities. It will consider:

- Role of island resorts in attracting new and return visitors to Queensland and the Great Barrier Reef
- Historical operational status and existing constraints that impact economic development opportunities for island resorts
- How the determination of native title and the aspirations of traditional owners have been incorporated into operations
- Infrastructure access arrangements and other challenges for lease holders to develop or redevelop islands for tourist, residential and public purposes
- Co-existence with the protected area estate both onshore and within the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Area

- Contribution of ownership and governance models to the above issues and an examination of how these tenure arrangements could:
 - Enable appropriate development that supports strong social, environmental, economic, and cultural outcomes
 - Best support sub-tenancies to meet to contemporary requirements for commercial and residential occupancy
 - Allow for open and transparent dispute resolution as well as supporting an appropriate process and service standard for transfer of interests in a leases and sub leases.


Submissions are invited from all interested parties addressing all or any part of the terms of reference.

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