

LICENSING, REGULATION AND ALCOHOL STRATEGY

Application for Grant or Renewal of Operator's Licence Where Applicant is a Body Corporate

Prostitution Regulation Act

Notes to Application

1. This application must be lodged with your Territory Business Centre.
2. All details are to be completed in block letters.
3. If the space provided is insufficient, please present relevant information on a separate sheet and attach it to this form. You must make sure each attachment is signed by the individual to whom it relates and that you indicate below how many of these pages are attached to your application.

Number of signed attachment pages attached to this application:

4. You must sign this form in front of a person who is over 18 years of age. That person must sign his or her name, write his or her name in full and write his or her address and phone number.
5. It is an offence under section 26 of the *Prostitution Regulation Act* for a person to make a false or misleading statement in an application for a grant or renewal of a licence. Maximum penalty of \$2000 may apply.
6. The body corporate will not be eligible for an operator's licence if one of its shareholders is a body corporate.
7. You must pay the prescribed fee when you lodge this application.
8. An operator's licence remains valid for 12 months from the date of issue. If you are applying for a renewal of the licence you must do so at least 2 months before the current licence expires.

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9. If any of the details you have provided change between the date you lodge it and the date on which the Commission decides your application, you must advise the Director of Licensing of those changes or face a penalty of \$2000.
10. It is an offence under section 7 of the *Prostitution Regulation Act* for a licensed operator to carry on an escort agency business in partnership with, or otherwise in conjunction with, a person who does not also have a licence to carry on that business. A maximum penalty of \$10,000 applies. If you do so, you will probably lose your licence.
11. Once this application has been lodged, you will be investigated by the Northern Territory Police Force to assist the Commission in its determination of your eligibility and suitability to be granted a licence.
12. Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of this application must be completed and signed by:
- a) All directors of; and
 - b) All persons, including the Secretary, General Manager or other principal officers concerned in the management of the body corporate.
13. The following are documents that must be lodged with the application:

a) the prescribed fee of \$1,000, plus \$100 for each business name the agency will operate under	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
b) certificate of incorporation of the body corporate	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
c) seal of the body corporate	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
d) signature of each officer of the body corporate and the date of signature	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
e) an extract of business name for each name the agency will operate under	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
f) Authority to Release Criminal History Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes

I,
(name)

of
(address)

do solemnly and sincerely declare as follows:

1. Application

Application is for:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Grant of an operator's licence	<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal of operator's licence

.....
(name of body corporate)

of

.....
(registered office)

incorporated onday of20

applies for the *grant/renewal of an operator's licence for an escort agency business conducted under the following name(s):

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and declare that the shareholders of this body corporate do not include a body corporate.

*delete as applicable

2. Details of Persons Concerned in Management

The details requested in this section must be provided by

- a) All directors of; and
- b) All persons, including the Secretary, General Manager or other principal officers concerned in the management of the body corporate.

If insufficient space, attach separate sheets, signing on every sheet. Refer to point 3 in Notes to Application.

Full Name	Sex

Other Name(s) including maiden name, alias(es) or any other name by which person is known.

Date of birth	Place of birth

Residential Address
Postcode

Residential Address immediately prior to becoming resident at above
Postcode

Business Address
Postcode

Period of time resident in the Northern Territory

Occupation	Office held in body corporate

3. Criminal History

The details requested in this section must be provided by

- a) All directors of; and
- b) All persons, including the Secretary, General Manager or other principal officers concerned in the management of the body corporate.

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<p>Have you been convicted in the last 10 years of committing or attempting to commit:</p> <p>a) a relevant drug offence as defined in section 9(11) of the <i>Prostitution Regulation Act</i>;</p> <p>b) an offence against sections 11-16, inclusive, of the <i>Prostitution Regulation Act</i>;</p> <p>c) an offence against section 127, 128, 130 or 192 of the <i>Criminal Code</i>;</p> <p>d) a sexual offence involving a female under 16 years of age or a male under 18 years of age; or</p> <p>e) an offence against a repealed law of the Territory or a law (including a repealed law) of the Commonwealth, or of a State or another Territory of the Commonwealth, which makes (or, when in force, made) provision substantially similar to an offence specified in paragraphs (a) to (d)</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes to any of the above, provide details:		
Date of conviction:		
Court:		
Offence:		

<p>Have you been convicted of a criminal offence other than one referred to above in the last 10 years?</p> <p>If yes, provide details:</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Date of conviction:		
Court:		
Offence:		

4. Details of Relationships

The details requested in this section must be provided by

- a) All directors of; and
- b) All persons, including the Secretary, General Manager or other principal officers concerned in the management of the body corporate.

Each person must provide the following details of their spouse / de facto spouse / homosexual partner / business partner / business associate.

If insufficient space, attach separate sheets, signing on every sheet. Refer to point 3 in Notes to Application.

Full Name

Date of birth	Place of birth

Residential Address
Postcode

Period of residential address in the Northern Territory, another State or country

Occupation	Relationship to you

5. Declaration

The details requested in this section must be provided by

- a) All directors of; and
- b) All persons, including the Secretary, General Manager or other principal officers concerned in the management of the body corporate.

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I declare that the details supplied by me in this application are true and correct in every particular.

Signature	
	Date
	/ /

Signature of Witness	
	Date
	/ /

Full Name of Witness	
Address	
Phone	

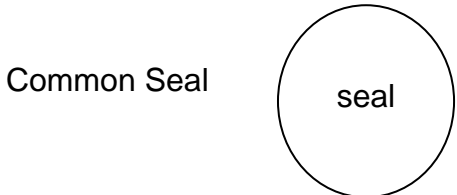
Proprietary Companies

If the body corporate is a proprietary company, attach a statement signed by the Secretary of the company setting out the name and address of all shareholders, the class and number of shares held by each, and the date on which each shareholder was registered.

The issued share capital of the body corporate is:	\$
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Signature of Secretary	
	Date
	/ /

Signature of Member	
	Date
	/ /



Notice In Accordance with the Information Act (Information Privacy Principle 1)

Licensing, Regulation and Alcohol Strategy (LRAS – a division of NT Department of Justice) is seeking information from you for the purposes of your application.

Information Privacy Principle 1 (IPP 1) requires that a public sector organisation must not collect personal information unless the information is necessary for one or more of its functions or activities. If personal information about an individual is collected from the individual, the organisation must take reasonable steps to ensure that the individual is aware of certain matters. For the purposes of IPP 1, the following advice is provided.

- a) You are able to access your personal information that you have provided by making a written request to the Director of Licensing.
- b) The information is required pursuant to the *Prostitution Regulation Act*. The *Act* requires that certain matters must be considered when deciding whether or not to approve an application.
- c) The information will be kept confidential except as follows:
 - i. Information may be sought from Police, government agencies, interstate licensing authorities, or referees or other persons nominated by you. Information may be released to those sources to the extent necessary to verify information about you and your application.
 - ii. If a hearing is involved, information will be released to the parties, Commission or the Court, as required by the *Act*.
 - iii. Registers of licences and permits will be maintained and may be made available to the public on request.
- d) You do not have to provide information if you do not wish to do so. However, an application may not be approved if there is insufficient information to properly determine the matter in accordance with the *Act*.

Website: www.nt.gov.au/justice/licenreg

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