



Norfolk Island Chamber of Commerce, Inc.

13 October 2017

Ms Robin Adams
Mayor
Norfolk Island Regional Council
Bicentennial Complex
Norfolk Island 2899

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Planning Act 2002 (NI) Amendments Significant Development submissions to Norfolk Island Regional Council

Dear Madam Mayor,

At the Chamber's October 2017 monthly meeting members agreed that a letter be sent to the Mayor requesting the Norfolk Island Regional Council (NIRC) provide full transparency of all submissions received by NIRC in reply to Media Release, Invitation for Community Comment; Planning Act 2001 (NI) Amendments signed by the General Manager on 15 September 2017

The transparency to include:

- Numbers of submissions received?
- What process is being undertaken by the NIRC to access these submissions?
- Who within the NIRC is assessing these submissions, and what qualifications do they have to do this work?
- How are the submissions being analysed and processed?
- Will all Council members see **all** submissions?
- When will the Norfolk Island public hear further on this matter?

It would be appreciated if these answers could be provided to Chamber as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cheri Buffett".

Cheri Buffett
President

Copy: Cr Rob Buffett, Cr John McCoy, Cr Dave Porter, and Cr Lisle Snell,
Norfolk Island Regional Council