

NORTHERN TERRITORY LICENSING COMMISSION

REASONS FOR DECISION

PREMISES:	TYEWERETYE SOCIAL CLUB
LICENSEE:	Tyeweretye Clubs Incorporated
LICENCE NUMBER:	81404827
APPLICATION:	Cancellation of Liquor Licence Pursuant to Section 72(5)(a) of the <i>Liquor Act</i>
HEARD BEFORE (On Papers):	Mr Richard O'Sullivan (Chairman) Mr Philip Timney (Legal Member) Mrs Kerri Williams
DATES OF DECISION:	31 May 2010

BACKGROUND

- 1) Deputy Director Chris McIntyre, on behalf of the Director of Licensing made application on 17 May 2010 for the cancellation of the licence of the Tyeweretye Clubs Incorporated trading as the Tyeweretye Social Club from a premises at Lot 8031 Len Kittle Drive, Alice Springs.

CONSIDERATION OF THE ISSUES

- 2) Tyeweretye Social Club ceased trading on 24 March 2005 and Liquor Licence Number 81404827 was suspended indefinitely from 6 April 2005.
- 3) Ms Leah Nolan, Senior Project Officer, Alice Springs Transformation Plan advised the Deputy Director that the land on which the Club was situated had been sold and rezoned. The new owners have no use for the Liquor Licence.
- 4) Mr William Tilmouth, Executive Director of Tangentyere Council Inc was advised on 28 April 2010 of the intention to cancel the current licence and was given the opportunity to comment in relation to the application. No response was received by the requested due date of 12 May 2010.

DECISION

- 5) The Commission finds that the conditions laid out in Section 72(5)(a) of the *Liquor Act* have been met, that is that a licence may be cancelled where the Commission is satisfied that the premises has “not been used for the sale or supply of liquor for a period of ninety (90) days”.
- 6) The Liquor Licence of Tyeweretye Clubs Incorporated trading as the Tyeweretye Social Club is therefore cancelled forthwith.

Richard O’Sullivan
CHAIRMAN

31 May 2010