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Dear Sir,

Proposal P1018 Companion dogs in outdoor dining areas

This Incorporated body agreed unanimously at a meeting on 23 May that we supported the proposal to allow dogs on lead at outdoor dining areas.

Our reasons where many but included:-

1 Dogs are important companion animals and many dog owners enjoy being able to dine at outdoor dining areas with their dog after a walk

2 More Australians are travelling with their dogs and appreciate the opportunity to take their dog out of the car and dine outside

3 Many accommodation places are now offering “pet friendly” accommodation for holiday makers and these people would like to be able to relax with their pets whilst dining. Both www.stayz.com.au and www.takeabreak.com.au offer listings for pet friendly accommodation.

Yours sincerely

Tony Walch

President

