

**Western Australian Mooring Association ("WAMA")**

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**Attention: The Director General**

Department of Transport ("**DoT**")

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Dear Sir,

**WESTERN AUSTRALIAN MOORING ASSOCIATION  
SUBMISSION IN RESPONSE TO  
THE DoT MOORING MANAGEMENT POSITION PAPER OCTOBER 2015**

Please find attached a copy of the Western Australian Mooring Association's submission to the Department in response to the DoT Mooring Management Position Paper October 2015.

Since March 2015 WAMA has requested that contact details for recreational mooring owners be made available to WAMA so that a complete assessment of owners opinions to the DoT regulatory proposals could be determined. No assistance has been given by the DoT in this regard except permission to view a register of names only, with no contact details, on the proviso that no notes, photocopies or photographs were taken of or from the list. WAMA declined the visitation.

Nevertheless, since WAMA was formed WAMA has had a multitude of meetings and many contacts have been made with recreational mooring owners. However, WAMA believes that there are still many recreational mooring owners who are not even aware of the fact that the mooring regulations review is going on.

Regardless WAMA, through the authority of the Committee, is pleased to provide the attached submission for the DoT assessment.

WAMA is adamantly opposed to many of the DoT proposals on the basis that many are unnecessary, unqualified, excessive in their control, expensive and not required at all.

Yours faithfully,  
WAMA Office *on behalf of the*  
Preliminary Committee  
WA Mooring Association (being incorporated)

Authorised by Preliminary Committee Members present at GM 17th November 2015 7:00PM  
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