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Dear General Manager

I write to you as a local government jurisdiction with regard to smoking regulations in Alfresco Dining areas in your region.

It is of major concern to our members that while Local Government is exploring this issue the state government is also conducting a major smoking review that could also have major implications at a state level.

We request that your council please put on hold any further changes to smoking laws in their jurisdiction until the state government review is completed, this request is being made to all councils throughout Tasmania. We believe that any changes in an area such as smoking needs to be considered at a state level, not a local government level where it can create major issues for areas such as Tourism that have not been taken into consideration to this point.

We thank you for your anticipated support of the above position, please call me on 6224 7033 should you have any questions on this matter.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Steve Old', written over a light blue circular stamp or watermark.

Steve Old
General Manager