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DR PETER TOYNE MLA Minister for Justice

TERRITORIANS WARNED OVER TRAVEL SEMINAR

Territorians are being urged to contact Consumer Affairs before signing any contracts with a company hosting a travel seminar in Darwin from tomorrow.

The seminar, organised by Club Global from Queensland, will be monitored by Consumer Affairs officers.

Minister Responsible for Consumer Affairs, Dr Peter Toyne, said Club Global had been contacting Territorians via telephone to advise they had “won” a holiday package. A facsimile was then forwarded to the recipient inviting them to the seminar.

To be eligible to claim their “free” holiday, the recipient must attend the Club Global seminar and must be accompanied by their partner.

“Club Global has come to the attention of other jurisdictions for similar methods of luring people to their seminars,” the Minister said.

“I have instructed the Office of Consumer Affairs to closely monitor this seminar and any other activities being undertaken by Club Global in the Northern Territory.”

The Minister said Territorians should avoid signing any contracts at seminars of this nature.

“The best advice is to take your time to consider the ramifications of signing a contract and, if in doubt, seek independent advice.”

Consumer Affairs can be contacted seven days a week via 8999 1999 or toll free 1800 019 319.

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