

Industry Review – Terms of Reference

Industry	Wine Manufacturing & Wine Grape Growing
Objective	Reducing the administrative and compliance costs associated with operating a business within the Wine Manufacturing and Wine Grape Growing industries in South Australia while maintaining a safe living and working environment.
Scope	<ol style="list-style-type: none">Steps that the State Government could take to:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Reduce the compliance burden on business (e.g. by simplifying regulations and licenses that cause the biggest problems); andRemove or reduce any unnecessary, overlapping, repetitive or inconsistent regulation.Ways of using technology to reduce 'red tape' and simplify business relationships with Government.
Background	<p>On 29 June 2006, the Premier of South Australia announced the formation of the Competitiveness Council. The role of the Council is to make recommendations to Government, through the Economic Development Board, on practical initiatives to reduce red tape by at least 25% by July 2008.</p> <p>Supported by the Department of Trade and Economic Development (DTED), the Competitiveness Council is reviewing key industry sectors to identify options for reducing red tape.</p>
Timeframe for this Review	August 2007 to October 2007.
Convenor	John Rau, MP (Convenor), supported by the Economic Development Board and the Competitiveness Council.
Next Steps	<p>Business owners, industry organisations, employees and agencies are invited to make a written submission.</p> <p>Submissions should address the objective and scope outlined above. Respondents are particularly encouraged to identify practical recommendations for reducing red tape. Submissions can be provided by COB Friday 28 September 2007, to:</p> <p>Competitiveness Council Secretariat Department of Trade and Economic Development GPO Box 1264 Adelaide SA 5001 Or to: Allan.Joy@state.sa.gov.au</p> <p>Submissions should contain the name, address, business/organisation name, and phone and email contact details of the person making the submission.</p> <p>The Reference Group will consider all contributions, and will prepare a report for the Competitiveness Council containing recommendations by the end of February 2008.</p> <p>Final review outcomes will be published on the Competitiveness Council's website (www.CompetitiveSA.biz) once the Government has considered the review recommendations.</p>
Questions?	<p>Contact: Competitiveness Council Secretariat Department of Trade and Economic Development Phone: 8303 2400 Email: Allan.Joy@state.sa.gov.au or Zoe.Yu@state.sa.gov.au</p>