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Inquiry into Opportunities and Methods for Stimulating the Tourism Industry in Northern Australia

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Postponement of Committee Visit to the Indian Ocean Territories

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the Federal Parliament's Northern Australia Committee has postponed its visit to Christmas Island and the Cocos (Keeling) Islands which had been scheduled to take place from **Saturday 16 September to Saturday 23 September**.

The visit will form part of the Committee's *Inquiry into Opportunities and Methods for Stimulating the Tourism Industry in Northern Australia*.

The Committee is now expected to visit the Indian Ocean Territories in **late January 2018**.

For more information about the Committee's inquiry, including submissions, transcripts of public hearings and terms of reference visit: www.aph.gov.au/jscna.

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