# NAAPA submission to the ACT issues paper: Proposals for regulatory reform

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### NAAPA provided a submission to the ACT Government on the Issues paper: Proposals for regulatory improvements, emphasising that reform must begin with: prioritising harm minimisation as the primary object of the Liquor Act, publically reporting on venues that are non-compliant with the Act, and providing the Minister and Commissioner with the power to impose conditions on licensed premises to reduce associated risks.

The [NSW/ACT Alcohol Policy Alliance (NAAPA)](https://www.naapa.org.au/) provided a submission to the ACT Government on the *Issues paper: Proposals for regulatory improvements* as part of the ongoing Liquor Act Review consultation process.

NAAPA makes a number of recommendations addressing the issues for consideration under each section, following the format of the Issues paper.

## Recommendations

The submission emphasise that reforms to the regulation of alcohol must acknowledge that the current system of regulation is not adequately mitigating the harms. These reforms must begin with:

1. Prioritising harm minimisation as the primary object of the Act.
2. Publically reporting on venues that are non-compliant with the Act.
3. Providing the Minister and Commissioner with the power to impose conditions on licensed premises to reduce associated risks.

[view the submission](https://www.fare.org.au/wp-content/uploads/Submission-to-the-Proposals-for-regulatory-improvements-paper.pdf)

[view the media release](https://www.fare.org.au/liquor-act-review-name-and-shame-offending-licensees/)

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