

OPERATIONS ALERT

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Date: 9 May 2014

Subject: **NO PARKING ZONES**

Area of Concern: **GSE Leased Areas, Airside**

As the operator of a licensed aerodrome Townsville Airport Pty Ltd (TAPL) is required under the Civil Aviation Safety Regulations 1998 to control the movement of surface vehicles airside. Parking of vehicles at Townsville Airport is in accordance with the Airports (Control of On-Airport Activities) Regulations 1997. TAPL have a duty of care and obligations under Work Health and Safety legislation to provide a safe environment for employees, tenants, contractors and the general public.

Potential hazardous issues relating to the parking of airside Ground Storage Equipment (GSE) under the concourse has been identified during a recent risk assessment.

Areas marked '**NO PARKING**' are to be kept clear at all times.



Airside Drivers Authority (ADA) holders are reminded to:

- Regularly revise the current Townsville Airport Airside Vehicle Control Handbook (AVCH);
- Familiarise themselves with their employer's leased parking areas, and;
- Refrain from driving across the section of pedestrian walkway running parallel to the terminal from Gate 7 to Aerobridge 2.

To assist in providing a safe environment for employees, tenants, contractors and the general public whilst airside you must:

- Obey all regulatory signage, and;
- Not park vehicles or equipment so that they will obstruct aircraft, other vehicles or pedestrians.

You can obtain a copy of the current Townsville Airport Vehicle Control Handbook by visiting the Townsville Airport website at <http://www.townsvilleairport.com.au/regulatory/compliance-and-safety/>

If you witness any persons not following this requirement, please report it immediately to an Aerodrome Reporting Officer ('Safety One') on 0418 771 999.