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Sir/Madam

This email originates from Buffalo Boutique Brewery
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- # The Smallest continual operating Beer Brewery in Australia 1902
- # The Smallest commercially operating Brewery in Australia
- # Winner of 2 Gold Medals at the Australian International Beer Awards - Melbourne 1999/2000
- # Voted Best Country Pub in Victoria without Gaming 2001 by the A.H.A.
- # Made with Pure Spring Water on the Property
- # Specializing in catering for Tourist Coaches from all over Australia contracted to various Tourism itineraries E.g. Expanding Horizons and Endeavor Tours.
- # Recently featured on Channel 9 Postcards Program.

The reason for this correspondence is that we consider, and have been perusing our cause, that for the past 8 years we have requested that Dollar Grants given by both State and Federal Governments have been directed unfairly to the Wine and Cheese section of the Tourism Industry.

On a number of occasions we have made Submissions to the Tourism Advisory Board of the Rural City of Wangaratta, but of course most of these members are connected either directly or indirectly with the Wine and Cheese Industry so what chance do we have of having any success.

We have a fairly thick file of correspondence regarding this subject, and if you, as suggested may be holding meetings throughout Rural Victoria, we would like to submit some of this correspondence for your perusal.

Many Thanks for taking the time to read our Correspondence.

Management
Buffalo Brewery