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MEDIA ALERT

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Friday, 23 March 2007

Aboriginal Darwin Book Launch

All media are invited to attend the launch of the latest publication by Aboriginal Studies Press, *Aboriginal Darwin: A guide to exploring important sites of the past and present* by Ms Toni Bauman.

The book celebrates Aboriginal culture and life by exploring the often hidden Aboriginal meanings of places in Darwin. Produced in consultation with the Larrakia People, *Aboriginal Darwin* was written for tourists in Darwin (from interstate and overseas), for Aboriginal visitors to Darwin, and for Darwin people generally; perhaps to discover that there was lots slipping below their gaze.

What:	Launch of <i>Aboriginal Darwin: A guide to exploring important sites of the past and present</i> , traditional dance performance by the Belyuen Kenbi Dancers.
When:	Thursday 29 March, 10:45am for 11:00am
Where:	Strangers Bar, Parliament House Darwin, NT
Who:	The book will be launched by Chief Minister, the Hon. Clare Martin, MLA and Professor Mick Dodson, Australian National University

All media are invited to attend, please RSVP to AIATSIS Communications on the numbers below. Alternatively, you can contact us to arrange an interview with the author.

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