

## Media Alert

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### New Luxury cruiser *Seabourn Encore* arrives in Cairns



#### Vessel Information

<b>Built:</b>	2016
<b>Builder</b>	Fincantieri
<b>GT:</b>	40,350 tonnes
<b>Length:</b>	198m
<b>Decks</b>	12
<b>Passengers:</b>	638
<b>Crew:</b>	450
<b>Agent:</b>	Inchcape

The Cairns Cruise Liner Terminal will welcome the MV *Seabourn Encore* on Thursday January 26 for her maiden visit to Cairns.

*Seabourn Encore* is scheduled to dock in the Port of Cairns at 0800 with around 983 passenger and crew on board. After an overnight stay in Cairns she will depart on Friday January 27 at 1700. Ports North will mark the maiden visit with the presentation of a commemorative plaque to the Ship's Captain during the visit.

The striking new ship is the latest vessel to be built by the world's ultra-luxury cruise line Seabourn, and was just launched in Singapore on January 7.

The vessel is making her maiden voyage to Australia docking in Darwin for a day before heading to Cairns for her only over-night stopover as she makes her way down the coast to Sydney.

*Seabourn Encore* is one of seven maiden visits by cruise ships to Cairns this year. After she departs, a second maiden visit, by *Europa 2*, will occur on Saturday January 28, for another overnight stay.

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