

Road Transport (General) Exclusion of Road Transport Legislation (Light Rail) Declaration 2018 (No 1)

Disallowable instrument DI2018-303

made under the

Road Transport (General) Act 1999, section 13 (Power to exclude vehicles, persons or animals from road transport legislation)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Road Transport (General) Exclusion of Road Transport Legislation (Light Rail) Declaration 2018 (No 1)*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day after notification.

3 Declaration

I declare that sections 155, 155A and 187 (3) of the *Road Transport (Road Rules) Regulation 2017* do not apply to the driver of a designated vehicle on a tramway or tram lane where the designated vehicle is on the tramway or tram lane for a specified purpose.

4 Definitions

In this instrument:

light rail service operator – see section 27A of the *Road Transport (Public Passenger Services) Act 2001*.

designated vehicle means any vehicle that is operated by, for or on behalf of a light rail service operator or the Territory for a specified purpose.

specified purpose means a rail maintenance activity.

rail infrastructure – see the *Rail Safety National Law*.

rail maintenance activity means an activity relating to maintenance of rail infrastructure that includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- (a) scheduled rail sweeping activity
- (b) electrical maintenance
- (c) track repairs

(d) replacement and / or upgrade of equipment or materials.

tramway – see section 155A of the *Road Transport (Road Rules) Regulation 2017*.

tram lane – see section 155 of the *Road Transport (Road Rules) Regulation 2017*.

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