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**THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
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**ROAD TRANSPORT (ALCOHOL AND DRUGS) AMENDMENT
REGULATION 2013 (No 1)**

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EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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Outline

This regulation is made under section 7 of the *Road Transport (Alcohol and Drugs) Act 1977*, which provides for alcohol screening devices to be prescribed by regulation.

This Regulation prescribes the Alcolizer 5 Series as an alcohol screening device for the purposes of section 7 of the *Road Transport (Alcohol and Drugs) Act 1977* (Meaning of alcohol screening device). An alcohol screening device is used to sample a person's breath to indicate if that person's blood or breath contains the presence of alcohol. The Alcolizer 5 Series is a recently released model of handheld alcohol screening device, which has a shorter recalibration period and allows for faster testing than earlier models. In addition, this model is Bluetooth enabled.

Notes on clauses

Clause 1 Name of regulation

This clause states the name of the regulation.

Clause 2 Commencement

This clause states that the regulation commences on the day after its notification day.

Clause 3 Legislation amended

This clause states that this regulation amends the *Road Transport (Alcohol and Drugs) Regulation 2000*.

Clause 4 Section 2(c)

This clause adds the Alcolizer 5 Series of alcohol screening devices to the list of alcohol screening devices permitted for use under section 7 of the *Road Transport (Alcohol and Drugs) Act 1977* (Meaning of alcohol screening device).