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Penalties

The value of a penalty unit for an offence against this republished law at the republication date is—

- (a) if the person charged is an individual—\$100; or
- (b) if the person charged is a corporation—\$500.



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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Magistrates Court (Trade Measurement Infringement Notices) Regulation 2002*.

3 Purpose of regulation

The purpose of this regulation is to create a system of infringement notices under the *Magistrates Court Act 1930*, part 3.8 for certain offences against the trade measurement legislation.

Note The *Magistrates Court Act 1930*, pt 3.8 provides a system of infringement notices for offences against various Acts. The infringement notice system is intended to provide an alternative to prosecution.

4 Notes

A note included in this regulation is explanatory and is not part of this regulation.

Note See the Legislation Act, s 127 (1), (4) and (5) for the legal status of notes.

5 Meaning of *trade measurement legislation*

In this regulation:

trade measurement legislation means—

- (a) the *Trade Measurement Act 1991*; and
- (b) the *Trade Measurement (Measuring Instruments) Regulation 1991*; and
- (c) the *Trade Measurement (Miscellaneous) Regulation 1991*; and
- (d) the *Trade Measurement (Weighbridges) Regulation 1991*.

6 Administering authority

The administering authority for an infringement notice offence against the trade measurement legislation is the commissioner for fair trading.

7 Infringement notice offences

The Act, part 3.8 applies to an offence against a provision of the trade measurement legislation mentioned in schedule 1, column 2.

8 Infringement notice penalties

- (1) The penalty payable by an individual for an offence against the trade measurement legislation, under an infringement notice for the offence, is the amount mentioned in schedule 1, column 4 for the offence.
- (2) The penalty payable by a corporation for an offence against the trade measurement legislation, under an infringement notice for the offence, is 5 times the amount mentioned in schedule 1, column 4 for the offence.
- (3) The cost of serving a reminder notice for an infringement notice offence against the trade measurement legislation is \$34.

9 Identifying particulars for person served

An infringement notice served on a person by an authorised person for an infringement notice offence against the trade measurement legislation must identify the person as follows:

- (a) if the person is a company registered under the Corporations Act—by the company's ACN;
- (b) if the person is a business with a business name registered under the *Business Names Act 1963*—by the registered business name.

10 Contents of infringement notices—identifying authorised person

An infringement notice served on a person by an authorised person for an infringement notice offence against the trade measurement legislation must identify the authorised person by—

- (a) the authorised person’s full name, or surname and initials; and
- (b) the date of issue of the authorised person’s identity card; and
- (c) the date of expiry of the authorised person’s identity card.

11 Contents of reminder notices—identifying authorised person

A reminder notice served on a person by an authorised person for an infringement notice offence against the trade measurement legislation must identify the authorised person by—

- (a) the authorised person’s full name, or surname and initials; and
- (b) the date of issue of the authorised person’s identity card; and
- (c) the date of expiry of the authorised person’s identity card.

12 Authorised people for infringement notice offences

An inspector under the *Trade Measurement (Administration) Act 1991*, section 7 may serve—

- (a) an infringement notice for an infringement notice offence against the trade measurement legislation; and
- (b) a reminder notice for an infringement notice offence against the trade measurement legislation.

Schedule 1 Trade measurement legislation infringement notice offences and penalties

(see s 7 and s 8)

Part 1.1 Trade Measurement Act 1991

column 1 item	column 2 offence provision and, if relevant, case	column 3 offence penalty (penalty units)	column 4 infringement penalty (\$)
1	7 (1)		
1.1	(a) if measuring instrument is a weighbridge	100	500
1.2	(b) in any other case	50	500
2	7 (2)	100	500
3	8 (1)	200	200
4	8 (2)	200	200
5	28 (1)	100	250
6	28 (2)	100	250

Part 1.2 Trade Measurement (Measuring Instruments) Regulation 1991

column 1 item	column 2 offence provision and, if relevant, case	column 3 offence penalty (penalty units)	column 4 infringement penalty (\$)
1	22 (1) (e)	20	100
2	22 (1) (f)	20	100
3	22 (3) (a)	20	100
4	22 (3) (b)	20	100
5	22 (3) (c)	20	100
6	22 (3) (d)	20	100
7	23 (a)	20	100
8	23 (b)	20	100

Part 1.3 Trade Measurement (Miscellaneous) Regulation 1991

column 1 item	column 2 offence provision and, if relevant, case	column 3 offence penalty (penalty units)	column 4 infringement penalty (\$)
1	4 (2)	20	100

Part 1.4 **Trade Measurement** **(Weighbridges) Regulation 1991**

column 1 item	column 2 offence provision and, if relevant, case	column 3 offence penalty (penalty units)	column 4 infringement penalty (\$)
1	19	2	50
2	25 (a)	20	100
3	25 (c)	20	100
4	25 (d)	20	100
5	25 (e)	20	100
6	29	20	250
7	30 (1)	20	250

Endnotes

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Amending and modifying laws are annotated in the legislation history and the amendment history. Current modifications are not included in the republished law but are set out in the endnotes.

Not all editorial amendments made under the *Legislation Act 2001*, part 11.3 are annotated in the amendment history. Full details of any amendments can be obtained from the Parliamentary Counsel's Office.

Uncommenced amending laws and expiries are listed in the legislation history and the amendment history. These details are underlined. Uncommenced provisions and amendments are not included in the republished law but are set out in the last endnote.

If all the provisions of the law have been renumbered, a table of renumbered provisions gives details of previous and current numbering.

The endnotes also include a table of earlier republications.

2 Abbreviation key

am = amended	ord = ordinance
amdt = amendment	orig = original
ch = chapter	par = paragraph/subparagraph
def = definition	pres = present
dict = dictionary	prev = previous
disallowed = disallowed by the Legislative Assembly	(prev...) = previously
div = division	pt = part
exp = expires/expired	r = rule/subrule
Gaz = gazette	renum = renumbered
hdg = heading	reloc = relocated
IA = Interpretation Act 1967	R[X] = Republication No
ins = inserted/added	RI = reissue
LA = Legislation Act 2001	s = section/subsection
LR = legislation register	sch = schedule
LRA = Legislation (Republication) Act 1996	sdiv = subdivision
mod = modified/modification	sub = substituted
o = order	SL = Subordinate Law
om = omitted/repealed	<u>underlining</u> = whole or part not commenced or to be expired

3 Legislation history

This regulation was originally the *Magistrates Court (Trade Measurement Infringement Notices) Regulations 2002*. It was renamed under the *Legislation Act 2001*.

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notified LR 12 December 2002

s 1, s 2 commenced 12 December 2002 (LA s 75 (1))

remainder commenced 13 December 2002 (s 2)

as amended by

Court Procedures (Consequential Amendments) Act 2004 A2004-60 sch 1 pt 1.48

notified LR 2 September 2004

s 1, s 2 commenced 2 September 2004 (LA s 75 (1))

sch 1 pt 1.48 commenced 10 January 2005 (s 2 and see Court Procedures Act 2004 A2004-59, s 2 and CN2004-29)

4 Amendment history

Name of regulation

s 1 am R2 LA

Commencement

s 2 om LA s 89 (4)

Purpose of regulation

s 3 am A2004-60 amdt 1.435, amdt 1.436

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s 7 am A2004-60 amdt 1.437

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5 Earlier republications

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Republication No and date	Effective	Last amendment made by	Republication for
R1 13 Dec 2002	13 Dec 2002– 31 Oct 2004	not amended	new regulation
R2 1 Nov 2004	1 Nov 2004– 9 Jan 2005	<u>A2004-60</u>	editorial amendments under Legislation Act

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