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# **Dangerous Substances (Explosives) Amendment Regulation 2007 (No 1)**

**Subordinate Law SL2007-6**

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The Australian Capital Territory Executive makes the following regulation under the *Dangerous Substances Act 2004*.

Dated 19 April 2007.

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## 1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Dangerous Substances (Explosives) Amendment Regulation 2007 (No 1)*.

## 2 Commencement

This regulation commences on the day after its notification day.

*Note* The naming and commencement provisions automatically commence on the notification day (see Legislation Act, s 75 (1)).

## 3 Legislation amended

This regulation amends the *Dangerous Substances (Explosives) Regulation 2004*.

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**4 Schedule 1, section 1.3 (2) and (3)**

*substitute*

(2) The total pyrotechnic substance in a consumer firework must not contain more than 5% by weight of reactive powder.

(3) In this section:

***reactive powder*** means either a powder or a consolidated material containing a mixture of oxidizer and metal powder, whether or not it also includes binding or colour agents.

(4) In subsection (3):

***metal powder*** means metal powder that can pass through a standard 275-mesh sieve.

**Examples of metal powder**

- 1 aluminium
- 2 magnesium
- 3 alloy of magnesium containing aluminium

*Note* An example is part of the regulation, is not exhaustive and may extend, but does not limit, the meaning of the provision in which it appears (see Legislation Act, s 126 and s 132).

***oxidizer*** means a substance that, while in itself is not necessarily combustible, may, by yielding oxygen, cause or contribute to the combustion of another substance.

**Examples of oxidizers**

- 1 ammonium perchlorate
- 2 barium nitrate
- 3 potassium nitrate
- 4 potassium perchlorate

**5 Dictionary, definition of *flash powder***

*substitute*

*flash powder*—

- (a) means a pyrotechnic substance or part of a pyrotechnic substance that has the potential to produce a flash of light (whether or not with a loud sound, smoke or sparks); and
- (b) includes photoflash powder; but
- (c) does not include black powder.

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**Endnotes**

**1 Notification**

Notified under the Legislation Act on 23 April 2007.

**2 Republications of amended laws**

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