



Australian Capital Territory

Discrimination Regulation 2016

SL2016-23

made under the

Discrimination Act 1991

Republication No 2

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About this republication

The republished law

This is a republication of the *Discrimination Regulation 2016*, made under the *Discrimination Act 1991* (including any amendment made under the *Legislation Act 2001*, part 11.3 (Editorial changes)) as in force on 28 July 2017. It also includes any commencement, amendment, repeal or expiry affecting this republished law to 28 July 2017.

The legislation history and amendment history of the republished law are set out in endnotes 3 and 4.

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Penalties

At the republication date, the value of a penalty unit for an offence against this law is \$150 for an individual and \$750 for a corporation (see *Legislation Act 2001*, s 133).



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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Discrimination Regulation 2016*.

2 Requirement for assistance animal—Act, s 5AA (3), definition of *assistance animal*

An assistance animal must be—

- (a) accredited as an assistance animal—
 - (i) under a law of a State or Territory; or
 - (ii) by an organisation that trains animals to assist a person with disability to alleviate the effect of the disability; or
- (b) trained to—
 - (i) assist a person with disability to alleviate the effect of the disability; and
 - (ii) meet the standards of hygiene and behaviour that are appropriate for an animal in a public place.

Endnotes

1 About the endnotes

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 are not included in the republished law. The details of these laws are underlined in the legislation history. Uncommenced expiries are underlined in the legislation history and amendment history.

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

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am = amended	om = omitted/repealed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

Endnotes

3 Legislation history

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This regulation was made as part of the *Discrimination Amendment Act 2016* (see A2016-49 s 14) and is taken to have been made under the *Discrimination Act 1991* A1991-81 (see s 124 (1) as ins by A2016-49 s 13) as the *Discrimination Regulation 2016*.

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taken to have been notified LR 23 August 2016 (A1991-81, s 124 (3) (a) as ins by A2016-49 s 13)
s 1 commenced 23 August 2016 (LA s 75 (1))
remainder taken to have commenced 24 August 2016 (A1991-81, s 124 (3) (b) as ins by A2016-49 s 13)

as amended by

Discrimination Amendment Regulation 2017 (No 1) SL2017-22

notified LR 27 July 2017
s 1, s 2 commenced 27 July 2017 (LA s 75 (1))
remainder commenced 28 July 2017 (s 2)

4 Amendment history

Requirement for assistance animal—Act, s 5AA (3), definition of *assistance animal*

s 2 sub [SL2017-22](#) s 4

5 Earlier republications

Some earlier republications were not numbered. The number in column 1 refers to the publication order.

Since 12 September 2001 every authorised republication has been published in electronic pdf format on the ACT legislation register. A selection of authorised republications have also been published in printed format. These republications are marked with an asterisk (*) in column 1. Electronic and printed versions of an authorised republication are identical.

Republication No and date	Effective	Last amendment made by	Republication for
R1 24 Aug 2016	24 Aug 2016– 27 July 2017	not amended	new regulation

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