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Planning Act 2023

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About this republication

The republished law

This is a republication of the *Planning (Transitional Provisions) Regulation 2023*, made under the *Planning Act 2023* (including any amendment made under the [Legislation Act 2001](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2001-14), part 11.3 (Editorial changes)) as in force on 27 November 2023. It also includes any commencement, repeal or expiry affecting this republished law.

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 $160 for an individual and $810 for a corporation (see [Legislation Act 2001](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2001-14), s 133).



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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Planning (Transitional Provisions) Regulation 2023*.

3 Notes

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

Note See the [Legislation Act](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2001-14), s 127 (1), (4) and (5) for the legal status of notes.

4 Modification of Act, ch 20—Act, s 601

The [Act](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2023-18/), chapter 20 is modified by schedule 1.

5 Expiry

This regulation expires on the day the [Act](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2023-18/), section 602 (Expiry—ch 20) expires.

Schedule 1 Modification of Act

(see s 4)

[1.1] New section 609 (4) to (8)

insert

 (4) An interim territory plan is taken, for all purposes, to be the [territory plan](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/ni/2023-540/).

 (5) To avoid any doubt, an interim territory plan may be amended in accordance with part 5.2 (Territory plan—major plan amendments) or part 5.3 (Territory plan—minor plan amendments).

 (6) If an interim territory plan is amended during the inquiry period for the plan, the territory planning authority must give the relevant Assembly committee written notice of the amendment within 5 days of the amendment being made.

 (7) An amendment of an interim territory plan is not invalid only because the territory planning authority has not complied with subsection (6).

 (8) In this section:

inquiry period, for an interim territory plan, means the period beginning on the day the Minister gives the relevant Assembly committee the [territory plan](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/ni/2023-540/) under section 608 (1) and ending—

 (a) if the committee decides not to hold an inquiry—on the day the committee gives the Minister notice of the decision under section 608 (2) (a); or

 (b) if the committee decides to hold an inquiry—on the day the committee reports to the Minister under section 608 (2) (b).

[1.2] Section 610 (3) (b)

substitute

 (b) confirm the interim territory plan approved under section 609 (2) (whether or not the interim territory plan has been amended).

[1.3] New section 610 (4A)

insert

 (4A) A resolution by the Legislative Assembly under subsection (3) does not affect—

 (a) any major plan amendment of the interim plan started, but not commenced, before the resolution; or

 (b) any minor amendment of the interim plan for which limited consultation has been undertaken, but the amendment has not commenced, before the resolution.

Note For when a major plan amendment starts, see s 53 (1).

[1.4] New section 621 (2A) and (2B)

insert

 (2A) The grant of a lease to which a pre-grant process relates is taken to be a lease granted under this Act, section 263.

 (2B) Despite section 52 (Effect of territory plan), the grant of the lease need not be consistent with the [territory plan](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/ni/2023-540/) if the grant is consistent with the [Territory Plan 2008](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/ni/2008-27/) (NI2008-27) (repealed), as in force immediately before the commencement day.

[1.5] Section 621 (3), definition of *pre-grant process*, paragraph (a)

substitute

 (a) a government entity giving notice of an auction, tender, ballot or direct sale; and

[1.6] New section 622 (3A)

insert

 (3A) Despite section 52 (Effect of territory plan), the grant of a further lease on the application need not be consistent with the [territory plan](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/ni/2023-540/) if the grant is consistent with the [Territory Plan 2008](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/ni/2008-27/) (NI2008-27) (repealed), as in force immediately before the commencement day.

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](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2001-14), 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

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| 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  | r = rule/subrule |
| Assembly | reloc = relocated |
| div = division | renum = renumbered |
| exp = expires/expired | R[X] = Republication No |
| Gaz = gazette | RI = reissue |
| hdg = heading | s = section/subsection |
| IA = Interpretation Act 1967 | sch = schedule |
| ins = inserted/added | sdiv = subdivision |
| LA = Legislation Act 2001 | SL = Subordinate law |
| LR = legislation register | sub = substituted |
| LRA = Legislation (Republication) Act 1996 | underlining = whole or part not commenced |
| mod = modified/modification | or to be expired |

3 Legislation history

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notified LR 24 November 2023

s 1, s 2 commenced 24 November 2023 (LA s 75 (1))

remainder commenced 27 November 2023 (s 2 and see [Planning Act 2023](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2023-18) A2023-18, s 2 (2) and [CN2023-10](https://legislation.act.gov.au/cn/2023-10/%22%20%5Co%20%22Planning%20Commencement%20Notice%202023))

*Note* Regulation exp 27 November 2026 (s 5 and see Planning Act 2023 [A2023-18](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2023-18), s 602)

4 Amendment history

Commencement

s 2 om LA s 89 (4)

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