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Personal Violence Act 2016

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Regulation not amended

Not all provisions are in force: see last endnote

About this republication

The republished law

This is a republication of the *Personal Violence (Transitional Provisions) Regulation 2025*, made under the *Personal Violence Act 2016* (including any amendment made under the [Legislation Act 2001](#), part 11.3 (Editorial changes)) as in force on 8 July 2025. It also includes any commencement, repeal or expiry affecting this republished law to 22 November 2023.

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

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This republication does not include amendments made under part 11.3 (see endnote 1).

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If a provision of the republished law has not commenced, the symbol **U** appears immediately before the provision heading. Any uncommenced amendments that affect this republished law are accessible on the ACT legislation register (www.legislation.act.gov.au). For more information, see the home page for this law on the register.

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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](#), s 133).



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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Personal Violence (Transitional Provisions) Regulation 2025*.

2 Commencement

- (1) Section 3 and schedule 1 are taken to have commenced on the commencement of the *Justice (Age of Criminal Responsibility) Legislation Amendment Act 2023*, section 120.
- (2) Section 4 and schedule 2 are taken to have commenced on the commencement of the *Justice (Age of Criminal Responsibility) Legislation Amendment Act 2023*, section 121.

Note The naming and commencement provisions are taken to have commenced on 22 November 2023 (see *Legislation Act*, s 75 (2)).

3 Modification of Act, pt 23—Act, s 211 (2)

The *Act*, part 23 is modified by schedule 1.

4 Modification of Act, pt 24—Act, s 221 (2)

The *Act*, part 24 is modified by schedule 2.

U 5 Expiry

- (1) This regulation expires on the day the *Act*, part 24 expires.
- (2) However, section 3, schedule 1 and this subsection expire on the day the *Act*, part 23 expires.

Schedule 1 Modification of Act—pt 23

(see s 3)

[1.1] New section 215 (3A)

insert

- (3A) A protection order made against a child respondent is revoked on the commencement day.

Schedule 2 Modification of Act—pt 24

(see s 4)

[2.1] Section 220, definition of *child respondent*, paragraph (b)

omit

family violence order

substitute

protection order

[2.2] New section 225 (3A)

insert

- (3A) A protection order made against a child respondent is revoked on 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*, 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

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3 Legislation history

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s 1, s 2 taken to have commenced 22 November 2023 (LA s 75 (2))

s 3, sch 1 taken to have commenced 22 November 2023 (s 2 (1) and see [Justice \(Age of Criminal Responsibility\) Legislation Amendment Act 2023](#) A2023-45 s 2 (1))

s 4, sch 2 taken to have commenced 1 July 2025 (s 2 (2) and see [Justice \(Age of Criminal Responsibility\) Legislation Amendment Act 2023](#) A2023-45 s 2 (3))

s 5 awaiting commencement

Note [Regulation exp 1 July 2030 \(s 5 \(1\) and see \[Personal Violence Act 2016\]\(#\) A2016-43 s 222\)](#)

4 Amendment history

Modification of Act, pt 23—Act, s 211 (2)

s 3 [exp 22 November 2028 \(s 5 \(2\)\)](#)

Expiry

s 5 [\(2\) exp 22 November 2028 \(s 5 \(2\)\)](#)

Modification of Act—pt 23

sch 1 [exp 22 November 2028 \(s 5 \(2\)\)](#)

5 Uncommenced provision

Section 5 was uncommenced at the republication date but has been included in this republication with the symbol **U** immediately before the provision heading.

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