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Regulations under the *Alcohol Harm Reduction Act 2017*

1 Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the *Alcohol Harm Reduction Regulations 2017*.

2 Commencement

These Regulations commence on the day on which they are notified in the *Gazette*.

3 Person who may apply to BDR Registrar for making of BDO

- (1) For section 18(1)(g) of the Act, the following persons are prescribed:
- (a) the Commissioner of Correctional Services;
 - (c) a social worker who is eligible for full membership of the Australian Association of Social Workers Limited ACN 008 576 010;
 - (d) a person at a sobering up shelter who manages the shelter;
 - (e) a person appointed as a public housing safety officer under section 28Q of the *Housing Act 1982*;
 - (f) a person who holds a current counsellor level 4 membership of the Australian Counselling Association Incorporated ABN 12 242 711 378;
 - (g) a person:
 - (i) who is employed by a member of AMSANT or who is a public sector employee employed in declared premises; and

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- (ii) whose primary role, within the scope of the person's employment, is to provide medical services to people of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander background.

- (2) In this regulation:

AMSANT means the Aboriginal Medical Services Alliance Northern Territory Aboriginal Corporation ICN 8253.

declared premises, see section 5 of the *Medical Services Act 1982*.

medical services, see section 5 of the *Medical Services Act 1982*.

sobering up shelter means a facility that provides supervised, non-custodial accommodation for adults affected by alcohol.

4 Prescribed provision

- (1) For section 4 of the Act, definition **alcohol-related infringement notice**, paragraph (d), section 170B(1) of the *Liquor Act 2019* is prescribed.
- (2) This regulation is repealed immediately after the repeal of section 170B of the *Liquor Act 2019* by section 170D of that Act.

ENDNOTES
1 KEY

Key to abbreviations

amd = amended	od = order
app = appendix	om = omitted
bl = by-law	pt = Part
ch = Chapter	r = regulation/rule
cl = clause	rem = remainder
div = Division	renum = renumbered
exp = expires/expired	rep = repealed
f = forms	s = section
Gaz = Gazette	sch = Schedule
hdg = heading	sdiv = Subdivision
ins = inserted	SL = Subordinate Legislation
lt = long title	sub = substituted
nc = not commenced	

2 GENERAL AMENDMENTS

General amendments of a formal nature (which are not referred to in the table of amendments to this reprint) are made by the *Interpretation Legislation Amendment Act 2018* (Act No. 22, 2018) to: r 1.

3 LIST OF LEGISLATION***Alcohol Harm Reduction Regulations (SL No. 40, 2017)***

Notified	29 November 2017
Commenced	29 November 2017

Health Practitioner Regulation (National Uniform Legislation) and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2018 (Act No. 28, 2018)

Assent date	30 November 2018
Commenced	1 December 2018 (s 2)

Alcohol Harm Reduction Amendment Regulations 2019 (SL No. 3, 2019)

Notified	10 April 2019
Commenced	10 April 2019

Liquor Legislation Further Amendment Act 2024 (Act No. 19, 2024)

Assent date	1 November 2024
Commenced	2 November 2024 (s 2)

Housing, Transport and Surveillance Devices Legislation Amendment (Police Public Safety Officers) Act 2025 (Act No. 36, 2025)

Assent date	5 December 2025
Commenced	pts 1 and 5: 27 February 2026 (Gaz S13, 26 February 2026); rem: nc

Alcohol Harm Reduction Amendment Regulations 2026 (SL No. 4, 2026)

Date Made	12 March 2026
Commenced	pts 1 and 2: 13 March 2026; rem: nc

3 LIST OF AMENDMENTS

- r 3 amd Act No. 28, 2018, s 25; No. 3, 2019, r 4; Act No. 36, 2025, s 41; SL
No. 4, 2026, r 4
- r 4 ins Act No. 19, 2024, s 11