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Regulations under the *Evidence Act*

1 Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the *Evidence Regulations*.

2 Prescribed fee for public documents

For the purposes of section 29(7) of the Act the prescribed fee is \$10 plus \$1.50 per page of the document.

3 Prescribed qualifications for reporting scientist

For the definition **reporting scientist** in section 24 of the Act, each of the following is a prescribed qualification:

- (a) a degree of Bachelor of Molecular Biology awarded by a university in Australia or New Zealand;
- (b) a degree equivalent to a degree mentioned in paragraph (a);
- (c) another science degree that, combined with at least 6 months experience as a forensic scientist at a laboratory, is equivalent to a degree mentioned in paragraph (a) or (b).

4 Declared class of authorised persons

- (1) For the purposes of the definition of **authorised person** in section 21A(1) of the Act, the following are declared to be classes of authorised persons:
 - (a) all police officers approved by the Commissioner of Police as suitable to be an authorised person for the purposes of Part IIA of the Act;
 - (b) all employees of the relevant Agency approved by the Chief Executive Officer of that Agency as suitable to be an authorised person for the purposes of Part IIA of the Act.

(2) In this Regulation:

relevant Agency means the Agency administering:

- (a) the *Community Welfare Act*, or
- (b) if that Act is repealed – the *Care and Protection of Children Act*.

ENDNOTES**1****KEY**

Key to abbreviations

amd = amended
app = appendix
bl = by-law
ch = Chapter
cl = clause
div = Division
exp = expires/expired
f = forms
Gaz = Gazette
hdg = heading
ins = inserted
lt = long title
nc = not commenced

od = order
om = omitted
pt = Part
r = regulation/rule
rem = remainder
renum = renumbered
rep = repealed
s = section
sch = Schedule
sdiv = Subdivision
SL = Subordinate Legislation
sub = substituted

2**LIST OF LEGISLATION*****Evidence Regulations (SL No.7, 1991)***

Notified 13 March 1991
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Amendment of Evidence Regulations (SL No. 55, 2003)

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Evidence Amendment (Authorised Persons) Regulations 2007 (SL No. 32, 2007)

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3**LIST OF AMENDMENTS**

r 3 ins No. 55, 2003, r 2
r 4 ins No. 32, 2007, r 3