# **NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA**

# **CROSS-BORDER JUSTICE REGULATIONS**

As in force at 1 December 2009

# **Table of provisions**

Part 1	Preliminary matters		
1 2	Citation Commencement		
Part 2	Cross-border region		
3	NT/SA/WA region1		
Part 3	Modifications of laws of the Territory		
Division	1 Interpretation		
4	Terms used in modifications		
Division	2 Alcohol Court Act		
5 6	Act modified		
Division	3 Bail Act		
8 9 10	Act modified		
Division	,		
	Registration) Act		
13 14	Act modified		
Division	5 Director of Public Prosecutions Act		
15 16	Act modified5 Modification of section 22 (Appearance by Director)5		

Division	6	<b>Domestic and Family Violence Act</b>	
17 18 91A 19	New se	difiedction 91Ation of DVO made in cross-border proceedingation of section 93 (Application for registration)	5 6
Division	7	Evidence Act	
20 21	Modifica	difiedation of section 49P (Territory courts may take e and submissions from outside Territory)	
Division	8	Justices Act	
22	Act mod	dified	7
 23		ation of section 20 (Form of warrant)	
24		ation of section 43 (Constitution of Courts of Petty	
		ns)	
25		ction 90A	_
90A	Notice of	of order made in cross-border proceeding	8
Division	9	Magistrates Act	
26	Act mod	dified	9
27	New Pa	ırt IIA	9
	Part IIA	Cross-border magistrates	
13B	<b>Appoint</b>	ment of cross-border magistrate	9
28	Modifica	ation of section 20 (Oath, &c., of office)	10
Division	10	Mental Health and Related Services Act	
29	Act mod	dified	10
30	New se	ction 13A	10
13A		on	10
31		ation of section 38 (Examination at approved treatment	
00			
32		ction 38A	
38A 33		onsction 41A	
41A		ons	
34	New Pa	urt 10, Division 1A	13
- •	Division		
73AA	Definition	ons	13
35		ation of section 74 (Pre-assessment advice)	
36	Modifica	ation of section 74A (Assessment order and report)	15

Division	11	Police Administration Act			
37 38 39	Act modified				
40					
41		into custody under section 128)ection 143A			
143A		ences to rank			
42		cation of section 145 (Intimate procedures)			
43		cation of section 147G (Definitions)			
Division	12	Prisons (Correctional Services) Act			
44	Act mo	odified	17		
45	Modifi	cation of section 5 (Interpretation)	17		
Division	13	Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Act			
46	Act mo	odified	18		
47		ection 4A			
4A		onship with cross-border laws			
48		ection 5AA	19		
5AA		ation of this Part to Territory prisoners imprisoned in			
		er participating jurisdiction			
49		ection 7A	19		
7A		of orders under this Part on persons imprisoned under another participating jurisdiction	19		
Division	14	Sentencing Act			
50	Act mo	odified	20		
51		cation of section 3 (Interpretation)			
52		New section 36A2			
36A		of community service under non-custodial orders made			
	in cros	ss-border proceedings	21		
53		ection 51A	22		
51A		nencement of sentences imposed in cross-border			
<b>-</b> 4		edings	22		
54		cation of section 64 (Serving of balance of term of	22		
EE		onment when sentenced to further imprisonment)			
55 78P		cation of section 78P (Interpretation)retation			
76P 56		cation of section 108 (Time and place of sentence)			
		·	∠¬		
Division	15	Traffic Act			
57	Act mo	odified	24		

Schedu	le NT/SA/WA region	
67 68 69 70	Authorised officers  Custodial orders – recommendation about place of custody  Application of <i>Youth Justice Act</i> Calculation of reduction in amount of fines	. 29 . 29
Part 4	Miscellaneous matters	
Division 61 62 63 64 65 66	Act modified	. 26 . 27 . 28 . 28
58 59 3A 60	Modification of section 3 (Interpretation)	. 25 . 25

**ENDNOTES** 

## NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

\_\_\_\_\_

This reprint shows the Regulations as in force at 1 December 2009. Any amendments that commence after that date are not included.

\_\_\_\_

#### **CROSS-BORDER JUSTICE REGULATIONS**

## Regulations under the Cross-border Justice Act

# Part 1 Preliminary matters

#### 1 Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the *Cross-border Justice Regulations*.

#### 2 Commencement

- (1) Part 3, Division 16 and regulation 69 commence on 1 December 2009.
- (2) The remaining provisions of these Regulations commence on 1 November 2009.

# Part 2 Cross-border region

## 3 NT/SA/WA region

- (1) The NT/SA/WA region is a cross-border region that:
  - (a) straddles the borders between the Territory, South Australia and Western Australia; and
  - (b) is described in the Schedule, Part 1.
- (2) The map in Schedule 1, Part 2 indicates the areas in the NT/SA/WA region in which police officers of participating jurisdictions may be stationed or carry out duties.

# Part 3 Modifications of laws of the Territory

## Division 1 Interpretation

#### 4 Terms used in modifications

A term defined in section 7 of the Act has the same meaning in a modification prescribed by these Regulations.

## Division 2 Alcohol Court Act

#### 5 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the Alcohol Court Act.

# 6 Modification of section 20 (Alcohol intervention order)

Section 20(2)(a)

omit, substitute

- (a) the offender must remain in:
  - (i) the Territory; or
  - (ii) if the offender has a connection with a cross-border region that is partly in another participating jurisdiction the Territory or the other participating jurisdiction.

## Division 3 Bail Act

#### 7 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Bail Act*.

## 8 Modification of section 3 (Interpretation)

(1) Section 3(1), definition *authorized member* 

omit

(2) Section 3(1)

insert (in alphabetical order)

**audio link** means facilities (including telephone) that enable, at the same time, a person at one place to hear another person at another place and vice versa.

#### authorised member means:

- (a) a police officer who:
  - (i) holds the rank of Sergeant or a higher rank; or
  - (ii) is for the time being in charge of a police station in the Territory; or
- (b) a police officer of another participating jurisdiction:
  - (i) who:
    - (A) holds the rank of Sergeant or a higher rank; or
    - (B) is for the time being in charge of a police station in the participating jurisdiction; and
  - (ii) who holds a secondary office as a police officer of the Territory.

## deputy sheriff means a person holding or occupying the office of:

- (a) deputy sheriff mentioned in section 5(1)(b) of the *Sheriff Act*; or
- (b) deputy sheriff established by section 6(1) of the *Sheriff's Act 1978* (SA); or
- (c) deputy mentioned in section 158(1) of the Supreme Court Act 1935 (WA).

#### officer in charge, of a prison, means:

- (a) for a prison in the Territory the officer in charge of the prison under the *Prisons (Correctional Services) Act*, or
- (b) for a prison in SA the manager as defined in section 4(1) of the *Correctional Services Act 1982* (SA); or
- (c) for a prison in WA a superintendent as defined in section 3(1) of the *Prisons Act 1981* (WA).

#### **sheriff** means the person holding or occupying the office of sheriff:

- (a) mentioned in section 5(1)(a) of the Sheriff Act, or
- (b) established by section 5(1) of the Sheriff's Act 1978 (SA); or
- (c) established by section 156(1) of the Supreme Court Act 1935 (WA).

video link means facilities (including closed circuit television) that enable, at the same time, a person at one place to see and hear another person at another place and vice versa.

#### 9 Modification of section 16 (Authority for police to grant bail)

Section 16(5)

omit

#### 10 Modification of section 20 (Power of magistrates and justices to grant bail)

Section 20(2)

omit

telephone

substitute

audio or video link

#### 11 Modification of section 26 (Persons to whom bail undertaking may be given)

Section 26(e)

omit

all the words from "within" to "Act".

#### Modification of section 33 (Review) 12

Section 33(4)

omit

telephone, telex, radio

substitute

audio or video link, telex

#### **Division 4 Child Protection (Offender Reporting and Registration) Act**

#### 13 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the Child Protection (Offender Reporting and Registration) Act.

#### Modification of sections 15, 19, 52 and 55

Sections 15(1)(b), (2)(b) and (3)(b), 19(4), 52(2)(b) and 55(1)(a)

omit

custody in the Territory

substitute

custody in the Territory or government custody in a participating jurisdiction under a law of the Territory

## Division 5 Director of Public Prosecutions Act

#### 15 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Director of Public Prosecutions Act*.

## 16 Modification of section 22 (Appearance by Director)

Section 22(b)

omit, substitute

- (b) where the proceedings are cross-border proceedings of the court of summary jurisdiction or Youth Justice Court, by:
  - (i) a legal practitioner; or
  - (ii) a police officer; or
  - (iii) a police officer of another participating jurisdiction, but only if the person who is the subject of the proceeding has a connection with a cross-border region that is partly in the other jurisdiction.

## Division 6 Domestic and Family Violence Act

#### 17 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Domestic and Family Violence Act*.

#### 18 New section 91A

After section 91

insert

## 91A Notification of DVO made in cross-border proceeding

- (1) This section applies in relation to a DVO made by a prescribed court of the Territory if:
  - the DVO is made or varied in a cross-border proceeding for the purposes of which the defendant has a connection with a cross-border region; and
  - (b) the protected person indicates at the time the DVO is made or varied that the person wants the DVO as made or varied to be registered under the restraining orders laws of another participating jurisdiction; and
  - (c) the region is partly in the other jurisdiction.
- (2) A clerk must give a copy of the DVO as made or varied to :
  - (a) if the other jurisdiction is South Australia the Principal Registrar of the Magistrates Court of South Australia; or
  - (b) if the other jurisdiction is Western Australia the registrar of the Magistrates Court of Western Australia.

## 19 Modification of section 93 (Application for registration)

After section 93(2)

insert

(3) If a clerk receives from a registrar of a prescribed court of another participating jurisdiction a copy of an external order as made or varied in a cross-border proceeding of that court, the registrar of the prescribed court is taken to have made an application for registration of the order on behalf of the protected person named in the order, unless the order as made or previously varied is already registered under this Part.

## Division 7 Evidence Act

#### 20 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Evidence Act*.

# 21 Modification of section 49P (Territory courts may take evidence and submissions from outside Territory)

(1) After section 49P(3)

insert

- (3A) If the proceeding is a cross-border proceeding of a prescribed court of the Territory, for the purpose of taking evidence or receiving a submission by audio visual link or audio link from a place in a participating jurisdiction in accordance with such a direction, the place is taken to be part of the court.
- (2) Section 49P(4)

omit

The court

substitute

If subsection (3A) does not apply, the court

#### Division 8 Justices Act

#### 22 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Justices Act*.

23 Modification of section 20 (Form of warrant)

Section 20(4)

omit, substitute

- (4) Every warrant may be executed by apprehending the defendant at any place:
  - (a) within the Territory; or
  - (b) if the defendant has a connection with a cross-border region within a participating jurisdiction.

# 24 Modification of section 43 (Constitution of Courts of Petty Sessions)

After section 43(2)

insert

(3) However, every matter of complaint heard in another participating jurisdiction must be heard and determined by a Magistrate.

#### 25 New section 90A

After section 90

insert

## 90A Notice of order made in cross-border proceeding

- (1) This section applies in relation to a personal violence restraining order made by a prescribed court of the Territory if:
  - (a) the order is made or varied in a cross-border proceeding for the purposes of which the defendant has a connection with a cross-border region; and
  - (b) the protected person indicates at the time the order is made or varied that the person wants the order as made or varied to be registered under the restraining orders laws of another participating jurisdiction; and
  - (c) the region is partly in the other jurisdiction.
- (2) A clerk must give a copy of the order as made or varied to:
  - (a) if the other jurisdiction is South Australia the Principal Registrar of the Magistrates Court of South Australia; or
  - (b) if the other jurisdiction is Western Australia the registrar of the Magistrates Court of Western Australia.

## Division 9 Magistrates Act

#### 26 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Magistrates Act*.

#### 27 New Part IIA

After section 13A

insert

# Part IIA Cross-border magistrates

# 13B Appointment of cross-border magistrate

- (1) If the Administrator is of the opinion that it is necessary to do so to facilitate the administration of justice in a cross-border region, the Administrator may appoint a magistrate of another participating jurisdiction to be a cross-border magistrate.
- (2) The instrument of appointment must specify:
  - (a) the period of the appointment; and
  - (b) any conditions of the appointment.
- (3) The Administrator may vary a matter specified in the instrument of appointment except the period of appointment.
- (4) The conditions of service (including remuneration) of a cross-border magistrate are those that the cross-border magistrate is entitled to as a magistrate of the other participating jurisdiction.
- (5) A cross-border magistrate may resign his or her office by writing signed by him or her and delivered to the Attorney-General.
- (6) A cross-border magistrate ceases to be a cross-border magistrate if the cross-border magistrate ceases to be a magistrate of the other participating jurisdiction.
- (7) A reference in the following provisions of this Act to a Magistrate (however appointed) includes a reference to a cross-border magistrate:
  - (a) section 10;
  - (b) section 13A;
  - (c) Part IV;

- (d) section 20A.
- (8) A reference in another Act to a Magistrate (however appointed) includes a reference to a cross-border magistrate.
- (9) In this section:

*magistrate*, of another participating jurisdiction, does not include a person who holds the office of magistrate of the other jurisdiction as a secondary office holder.

## 28 Modification of section 20 (Oath, &c., of office)

Section 20(1) and (3)

omit (all references)

9A

substitute

9A, 13B

## Division 10 Mental Health and Related Services Act

## 29 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Mental Health and Related Services Act*.

## 30 New section 13A

After section 13, in Part 3

insert

#### 13A Definition

In this Part:

#### approved treatment facility means:

- (a) a place or premises or a part of a place or premises declared under section 20(1)(a); or
- (b) an approved treatment centre as defined in section 3 of the Mental Health Act 1993 (SA); or
- (c) an authorised hospital as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1996* (WA).

# Modification of section 38 (Examination at approved treatment facility)

After section 38(3)

insert

## (4) In this section:

## approved treatment facility means:

- (a) a place or premises or a part of a place or premises declared under section 20(1)(a); or
- (b) an approved treatment centre as defined in section 3 of the Mental Health Act 1993 (SA); or
- (c) an authorised hospital as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1996* (WA).

## authorised psychiatric practitioner means:

- (a) a person appointed as an authorised psychiatric practitioner under section 22; or
- (b) a psychiatrist as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1993* (SA); or
- (c) a psychiatrist as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1996* (WA).

#### 32 New section 38A

Before section 39, in Part 6, Division 2

insert

#### 38A Definitions

In this Division:

#### approved treatment facility means:

- (a) a place or premises or a part of a place or premises declared under section 20(1)(a); or
- (b) an approved treatment centre as defined in section 3 of the Mental Health Act 1993 (SA); or
- (c) an authorised hospital as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1996* (WA).

## authorised psychiatric practitioner means:

- (a) a person appointed as an authorised psychiatric practitioner under section 22; or
- (b) a psychiatrist as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1993* (SA); or
- (c) a psychiatrist as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1996* (WA).

#### medical practitioner means:

- (a) a medical practitioner who has a right of practice under the Health Practitioners Act; or
- (b) a medical practitioner as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1993* (SA); or
- (c) a medical practitioner as defined in section 4 of the *Medical Practitioners Act 2008* (WA).

#### 33 New section 41A

Before section 42, in Part 6, Division 3

insert

#### 41A Definitions

In this Division:

#### approved treatment facility means:

- (a) a place or premises or a part of a place or premises declared under section 20(1)(a); or
- (b) an approved treatment centre as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1993* (SA); or
- (c) an authorised hospital as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1996* (WA).

#### authorised psychiatric practitioner means:

- (a) a person appointed as an authorised psychiatric practitioner under section 22; or
- (b) a psychiatrist as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1993* (SA); or

a psychiatrist as defined in section 3 of the Mental Health (c) Act 1996 (WA).

#### medical practitioner means:

- a medical practitioner who has a right of practice under the Health Practitioners Act. or
- a medical practitioner as defined in section 3 of the Mental Health Act 1993 (SA); or
- a medical practitioner as defined in section 4 of the Medical Practitioners Act 2008 (WA).

#### New Part 10, Division 1A 34

Before Part 10, Division 1

insert

#### **Division 1A Definitions**

#### **73AA Definitions**

In this Part:

#### approved temporary treatment facility means:

- a place or premises or a part of a place or premises declared (a) under section 20(1)(b); or
- an approved treatment centre as defined in section 3 of the (b) Mental Health Act 1993 (SA); or
- an authorised hospital as defined in section 3 of the Mental Health Act 1996 (WA).

#### approved treatment facility means:

- a place or premises or a part of a place or premises declared under section 20(1)(a); or
- an approved treatment centre as defined in section 3 of the (b) Mental Health Act 1993 (SA); or
- an authorised hospital as defined in section 3 of the Mental (c) Health Act 1996 (WA).

## authorised psychiatric practitioner means:

- (a) a person appointed as an authorised psychiatric practitioner under section 22; or
- (b) a psychiatrist as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1993* (SA); or
- (c) a psychiatrist as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1996* (WA).

## designated mental health practitioner means:

- (a) a person appointed to be a designated mental health practitioner under section 23; or
- (b) an authorised mental health practitioner as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1996* (WA).

#### medical practitioner means:

- (a) a medical practitioner who has a right of practice under the Health Practitioners Act; or
- (b) a medical practitioner as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1993* (SA); or
- (c) a medical practitioner as defined in section 4 of the *Medical Practitioners Act 2008* (WA).

**outpatient assessment** means an assessment (whether in the Territory or a participating jurisdiction) that is not carried out at an approved treatment facility or approved temporary treatment facility.

**person-in-charge**, of an approved treatment facility or approved temporary treatment facility, means:

- (a) for a facility in the Territory a person appointed as the person-in-charge of the facility under section 21(1) or the person otherwise in charge of the facility; or
- (b) for a facility in South Australia the director of the facility; or
- (c) for a facility in Western Australia the person in charge of the facility.

**practitioner** means an authorised psychiatric practitioner, medical practitioner or designated mental health practitioner.

#### 35 Modification of section 74 (Pre-assessment advice)

Section 74(4)

omit

#### 36 Modification of section 74A (Assessment order and report)

Section 74A(9)

omit

#### **Division 11 Police Administration Act**

#### 37 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Police* Administration Act.

#### 38 **Modification of section 4 (Interpretation)**

Section 4(1), definition justice

omit, substitute

justice means a justice of the peace and includes a magistrate of the Territory in another participating jurisdiction.

#### 39 Modification of section 125 (Power to arrest interstate offenders)

After section 125(3)

insert

- (4) To avoid doubt, a proceeding under this section in respect of an offence to which this section applies is only a cross-border offence if:
  - the offence is an offence under the law of another participating (a) jurisdiction; and
  - the person arrested for the offence has a connection with a (b) cross-border region that is partly in the other jurisdiction.

#### 40 Modification of section 132 (Continued detention of person taken into custody under section 128)

(1)Section 132(1), definition *health practitioner* 

omit

**Section 132(1)** (2)

insert (in alphabetical order)

health practitioner means a person who is available to attend to a person held in custody and is:

- a medical practitioner, registered or enrolled nurse or Aboriginal health worker who has a right of practice under the Health Practitioners Act, or
- a medical practitioner as defined in section 3(1) of the Medical (b) Practice Act 2004 (SA); or
- a medical practitioner as defined in section 4 of the Medical Practitioners Act 2008 (WA); or
- a nurse as defined in section 3(1) of the Nursing and (d) Midwifery Practice Act 2008 (SA); or
- a nurse as defined in section 3 of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2006 (WA).

member of the Police Force of or above the rank of superintendent includes a police officer of another participating jurisdiction who holds:

- (a) the rank of superintendent or a higher rank; and
- a secondary office as a police officer of the Territory. (b)

#### 41 New section 143A

Before section 144, in Part VII, Division 7

insert

#### 143A References to rank

In this Division, a reference to a member of the Police Force holding a particular rank or a higher rank includes a reference to a police officer of another participating jurisdiction who holds:

the rank or a higher rank; and

(b) a secondary office as a police officer of the Territory.

## 42 Modification of section 145 (Intimate procedures)

Section 145(14)

omit, substitute

## (14) In this section:

## registered dentist means:

- (a) a dentist or dental specialist who has a right of practice under the *Health Practitioners Act*; or
- (b) a person who is registered as a dentist under the *Dental Practice Act 2001* (SA); or
- (c) a dentist as defined in section 4 of the Dental Act 1939 (WA).

## 43 Modification of section 147G (Definitions)

Section 147G, definition senior member

omit, substitute

#### senior member means:

- (a) a police officer who holds the rank of superintendent or a higher rank; or
- (b) a police officer of another participating jurisdiction who holds:
  - (i) the rank of superintendent or a higher rank; and
  - (ii) a secondary office as a police officer of the Territory.

## Division 12 Prisons (Correctional Services) Act

## 44 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Prisons (Correctional Services) Act.* 

## 45 Modification of section 5 (Interpretation)

(1) Section 5, definitions probation officer and supervising officer omit, substitute

## probation officer means:

- a person appointed as a parole officer under the Parole of Prisoners Act, or
- a community corrections officer of another participating iurisdiction.

## supervising officer means:

- a supervising officer appointed under section 94F; or (a)
- a community corrections officer of another participating jurisdiction.
- (2)Section 5, definition *prisoner*

omit

Commonwealth.

substitute

Commonwealth and a person who is in prison under a custodial order of a participating jurisdiction.

#### **Division 13 Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Act**

#### 46 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Prisoners* (Interstate Transfer) Act.

#### 47 **New section 4A**

After section 4, in Part I

insert

#### **4A** Relationship with cross-border laws

This Act does not apply in relation to the transfer from the Territory to another participating jurisdiction of a person who:

- is serving a sentence of imprisonment in the Territory under a warrant of commitment issued under:
  - (i) the Cross-border Justice Act; or
  - the Cross-border Justice Act 2009 (SA); or (ii)

- (iii) the Cross-border Justice Act 2008 (WA); and
- (b) has a connection with a cross-border region that is partly in the other jurisdiction.

#### 48 New section 5AA

Before section 5, in Part II

insert

# 5AA Application of this Part to Territory prisoners imprisoned in another participating jurisdiction

This Division applies in relation to a person who is serving in another participating jurisdiction a Territory sentence of imprisonment under a warrant of commitment issued under the *Cross-border Justice Act* as if the person were a Territory prisoner serving a sentence of imprisonment in the Territory.

#### 49 New section 7A

After section 7

insert

# 7A Effect of orders under this Part on persons imprisoned under law of another participating jurisdiction

- (1) Subsection (3) applies in relation to a person who is serving in the Territory:
  - (a) a Territory sentence of imprisonment; and
  - (b) a sentence of imprisonment under a warrant of commitment issued under:
    - (i) the Cross-border Justice Act 2009 (SA); or
    - (ii) the Cross-border Justice Act 2008 (WA).
- (2) Subsection (3) also applies in relation to a person who is serving in another participating jurisdiction:
  - (a) a Territory sentence of imprisonment under a warrant of commitment issued under the *Cross-border Justice Act*; and
  - (b) a sentence of imprisonment under the law of another participating jurisdiction.

- (3) An order of transfer issued under this Part (a *Territory order*) in relation to a person mentioned in subsection (1) or (2) has no effect:
  - (a) to the extent that, but for this subsection, it authorises or requires the doing of an act or thing under this Act in relation to the person in the person's capacity as a person on whom a sentence of imprisonment under the law of the jurisdiction mentioned in subsection (1)(b) or (2)(b) has been imposed; and
  - (b) unless and until an order of transfer corresponding to the Territory order is in force under the interstate law of that jurisdiction.

# Division 14 Sentencing Act

#### 50 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the Sentencing Act.

## 51 Modification of section 3 (Interpretation)

(1) Section 3(1), definitions *hospital*, *prison*, *probation officer*, *supervising officer* and *surveillance officer* 

omit

(2) Section 3(1)

insert (in alphabetical order)

#### hospital means:

- (a) a hospital as defined in section 5 of the *Medical Services Act*, or
- (b) an incorporated hospital as defined in section 3(1) of the Health Care Act 2008 (SA); or
- (c) a public hospital as defined in section 2(1) of the *Hospitals* and *Health Services Act 1927* (WA).

#### *prison* means:

- (a) a prison as defined in section 5 of the *Prisons (Correctional Services) Act*; or
- (b) a prison in another participating jurisdiction under its cross-border laws.

## probation officer means:

- (a) a probation officer as defined in section 5 of the *Prisons* (Correctional Services) Act, or
- (b) a community corrections officer of another participating jurisdiction.

## supervising officer means:

- (a) a supervising officer as defined in section 5 of the *Prisons* (Correctional Services) Act; or
- (b) a community corrections officer of another participating jurisdiction.

#### surveillance officer means:

- (a) a surveillance officer as defined in section 5 of the *Prisons* (Correctional Services) Act, or
- (b) a community corrections officer of another participating jurisdiction.

#### 52 New section 36A

After section 36

insert

# 36A Hours of community service under non-custodial orders made in cross-border proceedings

- (1) This section applies if an offender:
  - is convicted of one or more offences in a cross-border proceeding of a prescribed court of the Territory; and
  - (b) the court makes a community work order for one or more of those offences under which the offender is required to participate in an approved project.
- (2) If, at the time of conviction, the offender is performing or yet to perform community service under one or more non-custodial orders of another participating jurisdiction (the interstate orders), the hours of community service performed under the interstate orders count as hours of participation in an approved project under each of the community work orders mentioned in subsection (1)(b) (the Territory orders) unless the court specifies differently under subsection (3).

- (3) The court may specify that the number of hours of participation in an approved project to be performed under one or more of the Territory orders is in addition to any community service the offender has to perform under the interstate orders.
- (4) For subsection (3), an offender cannot do the additional hours of work under a Territory order until the offender has done the hours of work under the interstate orders or the interstate orders have ceased to be in force, whichever is earlier.
- (5) To avoid doubt, section 36(2):
  - (a) applies in relation to participation in an approved project under a community work order of the Territory; and
  - (b) does not apply in relation to community service performed under non-custodial orders of another participating jurisdiction.

#### 53 New section 51A

After section 51

insert

# 51A Commencement of sentences imposed in cross-border proceedings

- (1) This section applies if an offender:
  - (a) is convicted of one or more offences in a cross-border proceeding of a prescribed court of the Territory; and
  - (b) is sentenced to imprisonment for one or more of those offences.
- (2) If, at the time of conviction, the offender is serving or yet to serve one or more sentences of imprisonment under the law of another participating jurisdiction (the interstate sentences), each of the sentences mentioned in subsection (1)(b) (the Territory sentences) must be served concurrently with the interstate sentences unless the court specifies differently under subsection (3).
- (3) The court may specify when one or more of the Territory sentences commences.
- (4) For subsection (3):
  - (a) none of the Territory sentences can commence later than the end of the last interstate sentence to end; and

(b) if a non-parole period applies in respect of any of the interstate sentences – the first Territory sentence to commence after the end of the non-parole period must commence immediately after the end of that period.

# Modification of section 64 (Serving of balance of term of imprisonment when sentenced to further imprisonment)

Section 64(2)(a)

omit

the Territory

substitute

a participating jurisdiction

## 55 Modification of section 78P (Interpretation)

Section 78P

omit, substitute

## 78P Interpretation

(1) In this Part:

#### approved treatment facility means:

- (a) an approved treatment facility as defined in section 4 of the Mental Health and Related Services Act; or
- (b) an approved treatment centre as defined in section 3 of the Mental Health Act 1993 (SA); or
- (c) an authorised hospital as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1996* (WA).

#### authorised psychiatric practitioner means:

- (a) an authorised psychiatric practitioner as defined in section 4 of the *Mental Health and Related Services Act*; or
- (b) a psychiatrist as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1993* (SA); or
- (c) a psychiatrist as defined in section 3 of the *Mental Health Act 1996* (WA).

offence includes an aggravated property offence.

(2) Cubicat to subsection (1) a word or phrose wood in this Dort

(2) Subject to subsection (1), a word or phrase used in this Part that is defined in the *Mental Health and Related Services Act* has the meaning given in that Act.

## 56 Modification of section 108 (Time and place of sentence)

(1) Section 108(1)

omit, substitute

- (1) The sentence for an offence may be imposed in open court at any time and place in a participating jurisdiction.
- (2) Section 108(3)(b)

omit, substitute

(b) make an order or orders for the removal in custody of the person from one place in a participating jurisdiction to another.

#### Division 15 Traffic Act

#### 57 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the *Traffic Act*.

#### 58 Modification of section 3 (Interpretation)

(1) Section 3(1), definitions authorized analyst, health centre, hospital and registered nurse

omit

(2) Section 3(1)

insert (in alphabetical order)

## authorised analyst means:

- (a) a person authorised under this Act to be an analyst; or
- (b) an analyst as defined in section 47A(1) of the *Road Traffic Act 1961* (SA); or
- (c) an analyst as defined in section 65 of the *Road Traffic Act* 1974 (WA).

## hospital means:

(a) a hospital declared under section 6(2)(a)(i) of the *Medical Services Act*; or

- an incorporated hospital as defined in section 3(1) of the (b) Health Care Act 2008 (SA); or
- a public hospital as defined in section 2(1) of the Hospitals and Health Services Act 1927 (WA).

medical practitioner, see section 3A.

#### registered nurse means:

- a registered nurse who has right of practice under the Health Practitioners Act. or
- a registered nurse as defined in section 3(1) of the Nursing (b) and Midwifery Practice Act 2008 (SA); or
- a registered nurse as defined in section 3 of the Nurses and Midwives Act 2006 (WA).

#### 59 **New section 3A**

After section 3

insert

#### **Medical practitioner 3A**

Except for section 29(2), *medical practitioner* means:

- a medical practitioner who has a right of practice under the (a) Health Practitioners Act, or
- a medical practitioner as defined in section 3(1) of the Medical Practice Act 2004 (SA); or
- a medical practitioner as defined in section 4 of the Medical Practitioners Act 2008 (WA).

#### 60 Modification of 29AAK (Taking of sample of blood)

(1)Section 29AAK(3)

omit

hospital for examination

substitute

hospital in the Territory for examination

## (2) Section 29AAK(4)

omit, substitute

- (4) For the purpose of analysis by an authorised analyst, a medical practitioner, registered nurse or member of the staff of a hospital who is under the direct supervision of a medical practitioner or registered nurse may:
  - (a) take a sample of blood from a person who:
    - (i) has apparently attained the age of 15 years; and
    - enters the hospital for examination or treatment of injuries which may have been received in a car crash; and
    - (iii) is unconscious or apparently incapable of consenting to the taking of the sample; or
  - (b) require a person to give a sample of blood who:
    - (i) has apparently attained the age of 15 years; and
    - (ii) enters a hospital for examination or treatment of injuries which may have been received in a car crash.

#### Division 16 Youth Justice Act

#### 61 Act modified

This Division prescribes modifications to the Youth Justice Act.

- 62 Modification of section 5 (Interpretation)
- (1) Section 5(1), definitions **detention centre**, **nurse** and **prison** omit
- (2) Section 5(1)

insert (in alphabetical order)

#### detention centre means:

- (a) a youth detention centre approved under section 148; or
- (b) a detention centre in another participating jurisdiction under its cross-border laws.

## medical practitioner means:

- (a) a medical practitioner who has a right of practice under the Health Practitioners Act; or
- (b) a medical practitioner as defined in section 3(1) of the *Medical Practice Act 2004* (SA); or
- (c) a medical practitioner as defined in section 4 of the *Medical Practitioners Act 2008* (WA).

#### nurse means:

- (a) a person registered or enrolled under the *Health Practitioners*Act in the category of health care practice of nursing; or
- (b) a nurse as defined in section 3(1) of the *Nursing and Midwifery Practice Act 2008* (SA); or
- (c) a nurse as defined in section 3 of the *Nurses and Midwives Act 2006* (WA).

#### *prison* means:

- (a) a prison as defined in section 5 of the *Prisons (Correctional Services) Act*; or
- (b) a prison in another participating jurisdiction under its cross-border laws.

#### 63 Modification of section 10 (Probation officers)

After section 10(1)

insert

- (1A) The following persons are also probation officers for this Act:
  - (a) an officer of the Department, as defined in the Young Offenders Act 1993 (SA), whose duties include the supervision of offenders in the community under that Act;
  - (b) an officer of the Department, as defined in the Young Offenders Act 1994 (WA), whose duties include the supervision of offenders in the community under that Act.

## 64 Modification of section 39 (Diversion of youth)

Section 39(3)(a)

omit

the Territory

substitute

a participating jurisdiction

# 65 Modification of section 52 (Jurisdiction of Youth Justice Court)

Section 52(1)(b)

omit (first reference)

the Territory

substitute

a participating jurisdiction

## 66 Modification of section 107 (Breath analysis)

**Section 107(3)** 

omit, substitute

(3A) However, a breath analysis carried out in accordance with the drink or drug-driving laws of another participating jurisdiction is taken to have been carried out in accordance with subsection (3).

#### Part 4 Miscellaneous matters

#### 67 Authorised officers

For the definition *authorised officer* in section 7(1) of the Act, an office holder of a participating jurisdiction is an authorised officer for the purpose of carrying out a custodial order if the office holder is authorised under the law of the jurisdiction to carry out in that jurisdiction an order or other authority made or otherwise given under that law that is to the same or similar effect as the custodial order.

## 68 Custodial orders – recommendation about place of custody

A judicial officer or registrar who issues:

- (a) a warrant of commitment under section 98 of the Act; or
- (b) a remand warrant under section 100 of the Act;

may note on the warrant any recommendation about the place at which the person is the subject of the warrant should be kept in custody under the warrant.

## 69 Application of Youth Justice Act

For section 106 of the Act, Parts 8 to 10 of the *Youth Justice Act* do not apply in relation to a person in custody in a detention centre in another participating jurisdiction under Part 10 of the *Cross-border Justice Act*.

#### 70 Calculation of reduction in amount of fines

For section 127(2)(c)(iii) of the Act, the amount by which a fine is reduced because an offender has performed work under a community work order issued under Part 5, Division 9 of the Fines Enforcement Act must be calculated in accordance with regulation 14 of the Fines and Penalties (Recovery) Regulations.

# Schedule NT/SA/WA region

regulation 3

# Part 1 Description – NT/SA/WA region boundary

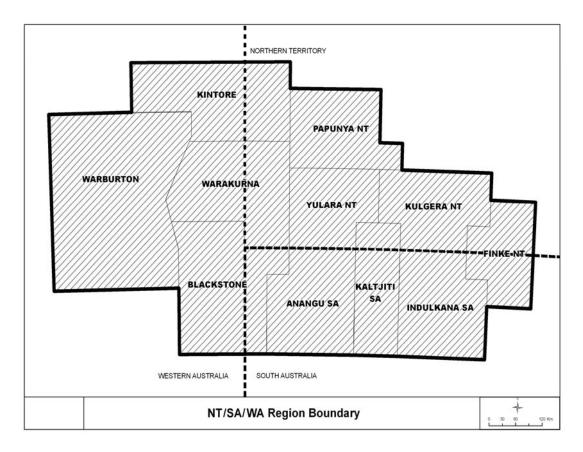
The NT/SA/WA region is bounded by a line starting at point 1 in the sequence specified in the table then, initially in an easterly direction, along a straight line between each of the points in the sequence to point 18 then to point 1.

Point no.	Longitude (E)	Latitude (S)
1	124°40'9.726"	-23°26'26.696"
2	126°29'59.085"	-23°26'50.559"
3	126°30'2.638"	-22°30'0.724"
4	129°59'43.09"	-22°29'59.842"
5	130°0'0.315"	-22°59'58.596"
6	131°59'59.524"	-22°59'59.741"
7	132°0'3.867"	-24°0'0.641"
8	132°29'45.2"	-24°0'5.62"
9	132°30'4.694"	-24°29'40.966"
10	134°30'1.249"	-24°30'0.759"
11	134°30'4.258"	-25°0'5.185"
12	135°30'0.12"	-25°0'1.22"
13	135°30'7.027"	-26°59'43.989"
14	134°30'13.305"	-27°0'11.385"
15	134°30'51.407"	-28°0'11.092"
16	127°30'0.049"	-28°0'0.49"
17	127°30'3.326"	-26°45'5.594"
18	124°39'56.52"	-26°44'1.484"

Note

Coordinate references are to Geocentric Datum of Australia 1994 (GDA94) coordinates.

Part 2 Areas in which police officers stationed or carry out duties



## **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

ins = inserted It = 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

Cross-border Justice Regulations (SL No. 33, 2009)

Notified 29 October 2009

Commenced pt 3, div 16 and r 69: 1 December 2009;

rem: 1 November 2009 (r 2)