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Regulations 1993, No. 6*

Regulations under the Traffic Act

I, KEITH JOHN AUSTIN ASCHE, the Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, hereby make the following Regulations under the *Traffic Act*.

Dated 29 April 1993.

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K.J.A. ASCHE Administrator

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1. INTERPRETATION

Regulation 3(1) of the Traffic Regulations is amended by inserting after the definition of "dipping device" the following:

- ''disabled person's parking bay' means a bay on a carriageway or parking area defined by 2 parallel lines marked in white on the carriageway or parking area -
 - (a) within which, also marked in white is; or
 - (b) in respect of which there is displayed a sign bearing,
 - a symbolic representation of a person seated in a wheel chair;".

2. PROHIBITED PARKING AND STANDING PLACES

Regulation 55(1) of the Traffic Regulations is amended by omitting from subparagraph (e)(i) "a footway" and substituting "a footway (whether or not it is intended exclusively for use by pedestrians or persons riding bicycles)".

* Notified in the Northern Territory Government Gazette on 12 May 1993.

3. NEW REGULATION

The Traffic Regulations are amended by inserting after regulation 57, in Division 1, the following:

"57A. PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS

"(1) Subject to this regulation, a person shall not stand or park a vehicle in a disabled person's parking bay.

"(2) Subregulation (1) does not apply where the vehicle is –

- (a) displaying -
 - (i) a sticker bearing a symbolic representation of a person seated in a wheelchair issued; or

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(ii) a disabled person's permit granted,

by a competent authority or a person or body authorised in a State or another Territory of the Commonwealth to issue the sticker or grant the permit, as the case may be; and

(b) being used for the purpose of conveying a disabled person.

"(3) For the purposes of this regulation, a competent authority may grant a disabled person's parking permit to a person who has a disability and, where it does so, it shall issue to the person a sticker of the kind referred to in subregulation (2)(a)(i).".

4. PARKING INFRINGEMENT NOTICES

Regulation 65(7) of the Traffic Regulations is amended -

- (a) by inserting before paragraph (a) the following:
- "(aa) standing or parking in a disabled person's parking bay = \$60;";
 - (b) by omitting from paragraph (a) "\$40" and substituting "\$50";
 - (c) by omitting from paragraph (b) "\$30" and substituting "\$40"; and
 - (d) by omitting from paragraph (c) "\$10" and substituting "\$20".

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