

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

FIREARMS AND WEAPONS CONTROL AMENDMENT
REGULATIONS 2024

Subordinate Legislation No. 4 of 2024

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Firearms and Weapons Control Amendment Regulations 2024

I, Hugh Crosby Heggie, Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, make the following regulations under the *Firearms Act 1997* and the *Weapons Control Act 2001*.

Responsible Minister:

B. J. POTTER
Minister for Police

H. C. HEGGIE
Administrator

Date of making: 27 March 2024

Part 1 Preliminary matters**1 Title**

These Regulations may be cited as the *Firearms and Weapons Control Amendment Regulations 2024*.

2 Commencement

- (1) These Regulations, except Part 3, commence on the day after the day on which they are made.
- (2) Part 3 commences immediately after the commencement of Part 3 of the *Firearms and Weapons Control Legislation Amendment Act 2023*.

Part 2 Amendment of Firearms Regulations 1997**3 Regulations amended**

These Regulations amend the *Firearms Regulations 1997*.

4 Regulation 14 amended (Restrictions on granting licences for category H firearms)

Regulation 14(a)

omit, insert

- (a) the genuine reason for possessing or using the firearms established by the applicant for the licence is any of the following:
 - (i) sports shooting;
 - (ii) business or employment;
 - (iii) occupational requirements;
 - (iv) firearms collection;
 - (v) museum display;
 - (vi) inheritance;
 - (vii) instruction in firearms use and safety; and

Part 3 Amendment of Weapons Control Regulations 2001

5 Regulations amended

This Part amends the *Weapons Control Regulations 2001*.

6 Regulation 3A amended (Applications under section 13(2A) of Act)

(1) Regulation 3A(1)(b)(iii)

omit

18.

insert

18;

(2) After regulation 3A(1)(b)(iii)

insert

- (iv) a person applying for an approval for the purpose of disposing of a prohibited weapon specified in Schedule 2, item 17 or 18.

Part 4 Repeal of Regulations

7 Repeal of Regulations

These Regulations are repealed on the day after they commence.