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The legislation history and amendment history of the republished law are set out in endnotes 3 and 4.

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Penalties

The value of a penalty unit for an offence against this republished law at the republication date is—

- (a) if the person charged is an individual—\$100; or
- (b) if the person charged is a corporation—\$500.



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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Electoral Regulation 1993*.

2 Dictionary

The dictionary at the end of this regulation is part of this regulation.

Note 1 The dictionary at the end of this regulation defines certain terms used in this regulation, and includes references (*signpost definitions*) to other terms defined elsewhere.

For example, the signpost definition '*City of Canberra Arms*—see the *City of Canberra Arms Act 1932*, section 4.' means that the term '*City of Canberra Arms*' is defined in that section and the definition applies to this regulation.

Note 2 A definition in the dictionary (including a signpost definition) applies to the entire regulation unless the definition, or another provision of the regulation, provides otherwise or the contrary intention otherwise appears (see Legislation Act, s 155 and s 156 (1)).

3 Notes

A note included in this regulation is explanatory and is not part of this regulation.

Note See the Legislation Act, s 127 (1), (4) and (5) for the legal status of notes.

4 Use of roll information for cancer register

- (1) For the Act, section 65 (Provision of roll information to prescribed authorities)—
 - (a) the chief health officer is a prescribed authority; and
 - (b) assisting the chief health officer to maintain the cancer register under the *Public Health Regulation 2000*, section 46 is a prescribed purpose.

- (2) The chief health officer may give roll information to another person or entity if the only use of the information authorised by the chief health officer is to assist the chief health officer to maintain the cancer register.
- (3) A person or entity given roll information by the chief health officer may only use the information to assist the chief health officer to maintain the cancer register.
- (4) In this section:

roll information means a copy of a roll or of information contained on a roll.

5 Prescribed entity—Act, s 67 (1) (b)

The ActewAGL retail partnership ABN 46 221 314 841 (Actew Retail Ltd ABN 23 074 371 207 and AGL ACT Retail Investments Pty Ltd ABN 53 093 631 586) is prescribed.

5A Declaration ballot papers

The heading to be printed or endorsed on a ballot paper to be used for declaration voting must be the heading to a ballot paper set out in the Act, schedule 1 modified by inserting **Declaration** above **Ballot paper**.

6 Prescribed classes of items—Act, s 295 (1) (h)

- (1) The following classes of items are prescribed:
 - (a) letters from an MLA that include the name of the MLA and an indication that he or she is an MLA;
 - (b) press releases published by or on behalf of an MLA that include the name of the MLA and an indication that he or she is an MLA.
 - (c) reports under the *Annual Reports (Government Agencies) Act 2004*;

- (d) publications of a government agency that include—
 - (i) the name of the agency; and
 - (ii) the City of Canberra Arms; and
 - (iii) the words ‘Australian Capital Territory’, ‘Australian Capital Territory Legislative Assembly’, ‘ACT Legislative Assembly’, ‘Australian Capital Territory Government’ or ‘ACT Government’.

(2) In subsection (1) (d):

publication does not include a publication that is published for the first time within 6 months before a general election if the publication includes a picture of an MLA.

Dictionary

(see s 2)

Note 1 The Legislation Act contains definitions and other provisions relevant to this regulation.

Note 2 For example, the Legislation Act, dict, pt 1, defines the following terms:

- ACT
- chief health officer.

Note 3 Terms used in this regulation have the same meaning that they have in the *Electoral Act 1992* (see Legislation Act, s 148). For example, the following terms are defined in the *Electoral Act 1992*, dict:

- ballot paper
- declaration voting papers
- MLA.

City of Canberra Arms—see the *City of Canberra Arms Act 1932*, section 4.

government agency—see the *Public Sector Management Act 1994*, dictionary.

Endnotes

1 About the endnotes

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Amending and modifying laws are annotated in the legislation history and the amendment history. Current modifications are not included in the republished law but are set out in the endnotes.

Not all editorial amendments made under the *Legislation Act 2001*, part 11.3 are annotated in the amendment history. Full details of any amendments can be obtained from the Parliamentary Counsel's Office.

Uncommenced amending laws and expiries are listed in the legislation history and the amendment history. These details are underlined. Uncommenced provisions and amendments are not included in the republished law but are set out in the last endnote.

If all the provisions of the law have been renumbered, a table of renumbered provisions gives details of previous and current numbering.

The endnotes also include a table of earlier republications.

2 Abbreviation key

am = amended	ord = ordinance
amdt = amendment	orig = original
ch = chapter	par = paragraph/subparagraph
def = definition	pres = present
dict = dictionary	prev = previous
disallowed = disallowed by the Legislative Assembly	(prev...) = previously
div = division	pt = part
exp = expires/expired	r = rule/subrule
Gaz = gazette	renum = renumbered
hdg = heading	reloc = relocated
IA = Interpretation Act 1967	R[X] = Republication No
ins = inserted/added	RI = reissue
LA = Legislation Act 2001	s = section/subsection
LR = legislation register	sch = schedule
LRA = Legislation (Republication) Act 1996	sdiv = subdivision
mod = modified/modification	sub = substituted
o = order	SL = Subordinate Law
om = omitted/repealed	<u>underlining</u> = whole or part not commenced or to be expired

3 Legislation history

This regulation was originally the *Electoral Regulations*. It was renamed by the *Electoral Regulations Amendment SL 2000 No 43* (see s 4) and under the *Legislation Act 2001*.

Electoral Regulation 1993 SL1993-24

notified 11 June 1993 (Gaz 1993 No S106)

commenced 11 June 1993 (s 2)

as amended by

Electoral Regulations (Amendment) 1994 SL1994-16

notified 17 May 1994 (Gaz 1994 No S88)

commenced 17 May 1994 (s 2)

Electoral Regulations (Amendment) 1994 SL1994-39

notified 16 November 1994 (Gaz 1994 No S260)

commenced 16 November 1994 (s 1)

Electoral Regulations (Amendment) 1995 SL1995-4

notified 12 January 1995 (Gaz 1995 No S19)

commenced 12 January 1995 (s 1)

Electoral Regulations (Amendment) 1995 SL1995-45

notified 15 December 1995 (Gaz 1995 No S309)

commenced 15 December 1995 (s 1)

Electoral Regulations (Amendment) 1997 SL1997-5

notified 25 March 1997 (Gaz 1997 No S75)

commenced 25 March 1997 (s 1)

Electoral Regulations (Amendment) 1997 SL1997-28

notified 27 October 1997 (Gaz 1997 No S324)

commenced 27 October 1997 (s 1)

Remuneration Tribunal (Consequential Amendments) Act 1997 A1997-41 sch 2 (as am by A2002-49 amdt 3.222)

notified 19 September 1997 (Gaz 1997 No S264)

commenced 24 September 1997 (s 2 as am by A2002-49 amdt 3.222)

Endnotes

3 Legislation history

Electoral Regulations (Amendment) 1997 SL1997-34

notified 28 November 1997 (Gaz 1997 No S383)
s 4 (b) commenced 1 December 1997 (s 1 (2))
remainder commenced 28 November 1997 (s 1 (1))

Electoral Regulations Amendment 2000 SL2000-43

notified 2 November 2000 (Gaz 2000 No 44)
commenced 2 November 2000 (s 1)

Legislation (Consequential Amendments) Act 2001 A2001-44 pt 121

notified 26 July 2001 (Gaz 2001 No 30)
s 1, s 2 commenced 26 July 2001 (IA s 10B)
pt 121 commenced 12 September 2001 (s 2 and see Gaz 2001 No S65)

Electoral Amendment Regulations 2002 (No 1) SL2002-22

notified LR 9 August 2002
s 1, s 2 commenced 9 August 2002 (LA s 75 (1))
remainder commenced 10 August 2002 (s 2)

Statute Law Amendment Act 2002 A2002-30 pt 3.22

notified LR 16 September 2002
s 1, s 2 taken to have commenced 19 May 1997 (LA s 75 (2))
pt 3.22 commenced 17 September 2002 (s 2 (1))

Statute Law Amendment Act 2002 (No 2) A2002-49 amdt 3.222

notified LR 20 December 2002
s 1, s 2 taken to have commenced 7 October 1994 (LA s 75 (2))
amdt 3.222 commenced 24 September 1997 (s 2 (3))

Note This Act only amends the Remuneration Tribunal (Consequential Amendments) Act 1997 No 41.

Electoral Amendment Regulations 2004 (No 1) SL2004-6

notified LR 16 February 2004
s 1, s 2 commenced 16 February 2004 (LA s 75 (1))
remainder commenced 17 February 2004 (s 2)
repealed by disallowance 18 March 2004 (AR2004-1)

Statute Law Amendment Act 2007 A2007-3 sch 3 pt 3.34

notified LR 22 March 2007
s 1, s 2 taken to have commenced 1 July 2006 (LA s 75 (2))
sch 3 pt 3.34 commenced 12 April 2007 (s 2 (1))

4 Amendment history

Preliminary

pt 1 hdg ins SL1994-39 s 3
om SL2000-43 s 3

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s 1 sub SL2000-43 s 4
am R10 LA

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s 2 om A2001-44 amdt 1.1401
ins A2007-3 amdt 3.177

Notes

s 3 om SL2004-6 s 4
revived AR2004-1
sub A2007-3 amdt 3.177
def **Act** om A2001-44 amdt 1.1402
def **City of Canberra Arms** ins SL1997-34 s 3
sub A2002-30 amdt 3.354
om SL2004-6 s 4
revived AR2004-1
om A2007-3 amdt 3.177
def **government agency** ins SL1997-34 s 3
om SL2004-6 s 4
revived AR2004-1
om A2007-3 amdt 3.177

Electoral Commission

pt 2 hdg ins SL1994-39 s 4
om A1997-41 sch 2

Prescribed organisations—ballots

s 3A ins SL1997-5 s 3
om A1997-41 sch 2

Use of roll information for cancer register

s 4 sub SL1994-16 s 3
am SL1995-45 s 3; SL1997-5 s 4
om A1997-41 sch 2
ins SL2000-43 s 5

Prescribed entity—Act, s 67 (1) (b)

s 5 am SL1994-16 s 4
om A1997-41 sch 2
ins SL2002-22 s 4

Endnotes

5 Earlier republications

Ballot papers

pt 2A hdg ins SL1995-4 s 3
om SL2000-43 s 6

Declaration ballot papers

s 5A ins SL1995-4 s 3

Dissemination of electoral matter

pt 3 hdg ins SL1994-39 s 5
om SL1997-5 s 5
ins SL1997-28 s 3
om SL2000-43 s 6

Prescribed classes of items—Act, s 295 (1) (h)

s 6 hdg sub A2002-30 amdt 3.355
s 6 ins SL1994-39 s 5
om SL1997-5 s 5
ins SL1997-28 s 3
am SL1997-34 s 4; A2002-30 amdt 3.355, amdt 3.356
sub SL2004-6 s 5
prev s 6 revived AR2004-1

Dictionary

dict ins A2007-3 amdt 3.178
def **City of Canberra Arms** ins A2007-3 amdt 3.178
def **government agency** ins A2007-3 amdt 3.178

5 Earlier republications

Some earlier republications were not numbered. The number in column 1 refers to the publication order.

Since 12 September 2001 every authorised republication has been published in electronic pdf format on the ACT legislation register. A selection of authorised republications have also been published in printed format. These republications are marked with an asterisk (*) in column 1. Electronic and printed versions of an authorised republication are identical.

Republication No	Amendments to	Republication date
1	SL 1995 No 4	31 January 1995
2	SL 1997 No 5	31 March 1997
3	SL 1997 No 34	31 December 1997
4	SL 1997 No 34	31 August 1999
5	Act 2001 No 44	12 September 2001

Republication No	Amendments to	Republication date
6	SL 2002 No 22	10 August 2002
7	Act 2002 No 30	17 September 2002
7 (RI)	A2002-30 †	19 February 2003
8	SL2004-6	17 February 2004
9	SL2004-6	19 March 2004
10	SL2004-6	3 November 2004

† includes retrospective amendments by A2002-49

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