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About this republication

The republished law

This is a republication of the *Electricity Safety Regulations 2004*, made under the *Electricity Safety Act 1971* (including any amendment made under the *Legislation Act 2001*, part 11.3 (Editorial changes)) as in force on 1 September 2004. It also includes any commencement, repeal or expiry affecting the republished law.

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

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This republication does not include amendments made under part 11.3 (see endnote 1).

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If a provision of the republished law has not commenced or is affected by an uncommenced amendment, the symbol **U** appears immediately before the provision heading. The text of the uncommenced provision or amendment appears only in the last endnote.

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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 regulations

These regulations are the *Electricity Safety Regulations 2004*.

2 Exemption from inspection etc—Act, s 32

Electrical work that consists of the installation of the wiring or a component of an electrical installation for a lift or escalator on the load side of a circuit breaker in the motor room for the lift or escalator is prescribed.

3 Exemption from AS/NZS 3000—Act, s 33 (2) (b)

The Act, section 33 (1) (a) does not apply if the construction occupations registrar is satisfied that—

- (a) the electrical wiring work—
 - (i) is begun before the day on which a revised edition of AS/NZS 3000 is published and is finished after that day; or
 - (ii) is finished before the end of the period of 6 months commencing on the day on which a revised edition of AS/NZS 3000 is published; and
- (b) the electrical wiring work complies with AS/NZS 3000 as in effect before the publication of the revised edition.

4 Exemption from Act, s 33 and s 34—Act, s 35 (a)

Electrical wiring work consisting of the installation of the wiring or a component of an electrical installation for a lift or escalator on the load side of a circuit breaker in the motor room for the lift or escalator is prescribed.

5 Articles of electrical equipment to bear registration number—Act, s 73

Each article of electrical equipment to which a registered declaration of compliance relates must be marked, stamped or labelled by attaching the registration number of the declaration to, or writing that number indelibly on, the article.

6 Energy efficiency standards—Act, s 81 (5) (a) and (7)

The *Electricity Safety Act 1998* (Vic) is a corresponding law.

Note 1 At the commencement of this regulation, energy efficiency standards are prescribed under the *Electricity Safety Act 1998* (Vic) (see the *Electricity Safety (Equipment Efficiency) Regulations 1999* (Vic)) for the following articles of electrical equipment:

- clothes washing machines
- dishwashers
- refrigerating appliances
- single-phase refrigerative airconditioners and heat pumps
- rotary clothes dryers
- storage water heaters
- three-phase cage induction motors
- three-phase airconditioners and heat pumps.

Note 2 The text of Victorian Acts and regulations is available at www.dms.dpc.vic.gov.au

8 Articles of electrical equipment—labelling

- (1) Articles of electrical equipment mentioned in the *Electricity Safety (Equipment Efficiency) Regulations 1999* (Vic), regulation 16 (Electrical equipment labels) or schedule 3 (Standards for electrical equipment that requires registration and labelling), as in force from time to time, must be labelled as required under those provisions.

Note 1 At the commencement of this regulation, the articles of electrical equipment mentioned in the *Electricity Safety (Equipment Efficiency) Regulations 1999* (Vic), reg 16 and sch 3 are the following:

- clothes washing machines

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- dishwashers
- refrigerating appliances
- single-phase refrigerative airconditioners and heat pumps
- rotary clothes dryers
- three-phase cage induction motors
- three-phase airconditioners and heat pumps.

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(2) The Legislation Act, section 47 (6) does not apply to this regulation.

Endnotes

1 About the endnotes

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
cl = clause	pres = present
def = definition	prev = previous
dict = dictionary	(prev...) = previously
disallowed = disallowed by the Legislative Assembly	pt = part
div = division	r = rule/subrule
exp = expires/expired	reg = regulation/subregulation
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

Endnotes

3 Legislation history

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These regulations were made as part of the Construction Occupations Legislation Amendment Act 2004 (see A2004-13 amdt 2.37 and sch 2) and are taken to have been made under the Electricity Safety Act 1971 A1971-30 (see s 131 (1) as ins by A2004-13 amdt 2.37).

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reg 1 taken to have commenced 26 March 2004 (LA s 75 (1))

remainder commenced 1 September 2004 (A1971-30, s 131 (3) (b) as ins by A2004-13 amdt 2.37)

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