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The republished law

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Penalties

At the republication date, the value of a penalty unit for an offence against this law is \$110 for an individual and \$550 for a corporation (see *Legislation Act 2001*, s 133).



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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the Magistrates Court (Fair Trading Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Infringement Notices) Regulation 2012.

3 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 'investigator—see the Fair Trading (Australian Consumer Law) Act 1992, dictionary.' means that the term 'investigator' is defined in that dictionary 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)).

4 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

5 Purpose of regulation

The purpose of this regulation is to provide for infringement notices under the *Magistrates Court Act 1930*, part 3.8 for certain offences against the *Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry) Act 2010*.

Note The Magistrates Court Act 1930, pt 3.8 provides a system of infringement notices for offences against various Acts. The infringement notice system is intended to provide an alternative to prosecution.

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6 Administering authority

The administering authority for an infringement notice offence against the *Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry) Act 2010* is the commissioner for fair trading.

7 Infringement notice offences

The *Magistrates Court Act 1930*, part 3.8 applies to an offence against a provision of the *Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry) Act 2010* mentioned in schedule 1, column 2.

8 Infringement notice penalties

- (1) The penalty payable by an individual for an offence against the *Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry) Act 2010*, under an infringement notice for the offence, is the amount mentioned in schedule 1, column 4 for the offence.
- (2) The penalty payable by a corporation for an offence against the *Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry) Act 2010*, under an infringement notice for the offence, is 5 times the amount mentioned in schedule 1, column 4 for the offence.
- (3) The cost of serving a reminder notice for an infringement notice offence against the *Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry)*Act 2010 is \$34.

9 Contents of infringement notices—identifying authorised person

An infringement notice served on a person by an authorised person for an infringement notice offence against the *Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry) Act 2010* must identify the authorised person by—

(a) the person's full name, or surname and initials; or

(b) any unique number given, for this regulation, to the person by the administering authority.

10 Contents of infringement notices—other information

(1) An infringement notice served on a company by an authorised person for an infringement notice offence against the *Fair Trading* (*Motor Vehicle Repair Industry*) *Act 2010* must include the company's ACN.

Note The requirement under this section is additional to the requirement under the *Magistrates Court Act 1930*, s 121 (1) (c).

(2) In this section:

company means a company registered under the Corporations Act.

11 Contents of reminder notices—identifying authorised person

A reminder notice served on a person by an authorised person for an infringement notice offence against the *Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry) Act 2010* must identify the authorised person by—

- (a) the person's full name, or surname and initials; or
- (b) any unique number given, for this regulation, to the person by the administering authority.

12 Authorised people for infringement notice offences

An investigator may serve—

- (a) an infringement notice for an infringement notice offence against the *Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry)*Act 2010; and
- (b) a reminder notice for an infringement notice offence against the *Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry) Act 2010*.

Schedule 1

Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Industry) Act 2010 infringement notice offences and penalties

(see s 7 and s 8)

column 1 item	column 2 offence provision	column 3 offence penalty (penalty units)	column 4 infringement penalty (\$)
1	8 (1)	50	500
2	8 (2)	20	200
3	46	10	100
4	47	10	100
5	48	20	200

Dictionary

(see s 3)

- 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:
 - commissioner for fair trading
 - corporation
 - Corporations Act
 - individual.
- Note 3 Terms used in this regulation have the same meaning that they have in the *Magistrates Court Act 1930* (see Legislation Act, s 148). For example, the following terms are defined in the *Magistrates Court Act 1930*, dict:
 - administering authority
 - authorised person
 - infringement notice
 - infringement notice offence
 - reminder notice.

investigator—see the *Fair Trading (Australian Consumer Law) Act 1992*, dictionary.

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 are not included in the republished law. The details of these laws are underlined in the legislation history. Uncommenced expiries are underlined in the legislation history and amendment history.

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

A = ActAF = Approved form

am = amended amdt = amendment

AR = Assembly resolution

ch = chapter

CN = Commencement notice def = definition

DI = Disallowable instrument

dict = dictionary

disallowed = disallowed by the Legislative

Assembly

div = division

exp = expires/expired

Gaz = gazette

hdg = heading

IA = Interpretation Act 1967 ins = inserted/added

LA = Legislation Act 2001 LR = legislation register

LRA = Legislation (Republication) Act 1996

mod = modified/modification

NI = Notifiable instrument

o = order

om = omitted/repealed

ord = ordinance

orig = original

par = paragraph/subparagraph

pres = present

prev = previous

(prev...) = previously pt = part

r = rule/subrule

reloc = relocated

renum = renumbered

R[X] = Republication No

RI = reissue

s = section/subsection

sch = schedule

sdiv = subdivision SL = Subordinate law

sub = substituted

underlining = whole or part not commenced

or to be expired

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3 Legislation history

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4 Amendment history

Commencement

s 2 om LA s 89 (4)

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