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Penalties

At the republication date, the value of a penalty unit for an offence against this law is \$150 for an individual and \$750 for a corporation (see *Legislation Act 2001*, s 133).



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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Magistrates Court (Major Events Infringement Notices) Regulation 2014*.

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.

Note 2 A definition in the dictionary 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 *Major Events Act 2014*.

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.

6 Administering authority

The administering authority for an infringement notice offence against the *Major Events Act 2014* is the chief police officer.

7 Service of infringement notices—belief about age of individual

An authorised person is taken to have reasonable grounds for believing that an individual is of a particular age if the authorised person sees evidence of the individual's identity and age.

Note 1 The infringement notice offence in schedule 1 applies except if an individual is under 16 years old.

Note 2 Under the *Act*, s 120 the authorised person must believe on reasonable grounds that a person has committed an infringement notice offence, before serving an infringement notice on the person for the offence.

8 Service of infringement notices—witnessing conduct

An authorised person is taken not to have reasonable grounds for believing that a person committed an infringement notice offence unless the authorised person witnessed the person committing the offence.

9 Infringement notice offences

The *Magistrates Court Act 1930*, part 3.8 applies to an offence against a provision of the *Major Events Act 2014* mentioned in schedule 1, column 2, except if the individual believed to have committed the offence is under 16 years old.

10 Infringement notice penalties

- (1) The penalty payable by an individual for an offence against the *Major Events Act 2014*, under an infringement notice for the offence, is the amount mentioned in schedule 1, column 4 for the offence.
- (2) The cost of serving a reminder notice for an infringement notice offence against the *Major Events Act 2014* is \$34.

11 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 *Major Events Act 2014* must identify the authorised person by the person's police officer service number.

12 Contents of reminder notices—identifying authorised person

An reminder notice served on a person by an authorised person for an infringement notice offence against the *Major Events Act 2014* must identify the authorised person by the person's police officer service number.

13 Authorised people for infringement notice offences

A police officer may serve the following:

- (a) an infringement notice for an infringement notice offence against the *Major Events Act 2014*;
- (b) a reminder notice for an infringement notice offence against the *Major Events Act 2014*.

Schedule 1 Major Events Act 2014 infringement notice offences and penalties

(see s 9 and s 10)

column 1 item	column 2 offence provision	column 3 offence penalty (penalty units)	column 4 infringement penalty (\$)
1	13 (1)	5	150
2	13 (2)	50	1 500
3	15 (1)	25	400
4	16 (2)	10	300
5	17 (2)	10	300
6	18 (2)	10	300
7	20 (2)	5	150
8	23 (1)	10	300
9	23 (2)	20	400
10	24 (7)	50	1 500
11	50 (6)	20	400

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:

- chief police officer
- individual
- police officer.

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.

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

Endnotes

3 Legislation history

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s 1, s 2 commenced 17 November 2014 (LA s 75 (1))

remainder commenced 18 November 2014 (s 2)

4 Amendment history

Commencement

s 2 om LA s 89 (4)

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