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Energy Efficiency (Cost of Living) Improvement Act 2012

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About this republication

The republished law

This is a republication of the *Energy Efficiency (Cost of Living) Improvement Regulation 2017*, made under the *Energy Efficiency (Cost of Living) Improvement Act 2012* (including any amendment made under the *Legislation Act 2001*, part 11.3 (Editorial changes)) as in force on 1 January 2018. It also includes any commencement, repeal or expiry affecting this republished law.

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

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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 *Energy Efficiency (Cost of Living) Improvement Regulation 2017*.

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 Prescribed classes of people—Act, dict, def *priority household*, par (d)

(1) The following classes are prescribed:

- (a) holders of a Commonwealth seniors health card;
- (b) holders of a Commonwealth low income health care card;
- (c) recipients of a Commonwealth disability support pension;
- (d) people accessing an energy retailer's hardship program (however described);

Note **Energy** is defined in the [Act](#), dictionary, to include electricity and gas.

- (e) people referred to a NERL retailer by a referring organisation for access to eligible activities carried out by the retailer;

Note **Eligible activity**—see the [Act](#), dictionary.
NERL retailer—see the [Act](#), dictionary.

- (f) people living in a priority dwelling.

(2) In this section:

priority dwelling means the following:

- (a) a public housing property managed by Housing ACT;
- (b) a property provided by a registered community housing provider;
- (c) a property used for providing accommodation or tenancy support by a registered provider of supports under the *National Disability Insurance Scheme Act 2013* (Cwlth);
- (d) a property used for providing residential care under the *Aged Care Act 1997* (Cwlth) if both of the following apply:
 - (i) the residential care is provided by an approved provider under that Act;
 - (ii) the approved provider is a registered entity under the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012* (Cwlth).

referring organisation includes the following:

- (a) ACAT;
- (b) Care Inc.;
- (c) St Vincent de Paul Society;
- (d) The Salvation Army.

Note ACAT—see the *Legislation Act*, dictionary, pt 1.

registered community housing provider—see the *Community Housing Providers National Law (ACT)*, section 4 (1).

registered provider of supports—see the *National Disability Insurance Scheme Act 2013* (Cwlth), section 9.

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 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

3 Legislation history

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notified LR 18 December 2017

s 1, s 2 commenced 18 December 2017 (LA s 75 (1))

remainder commenced 1 January 2018 (s 2)

4 Amendment history

Commencement

s 2 om LA s 89 (4)

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