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Western Australian Photo Card Act 2014

**Western Australian Photo Card Amendment
Regulations 2016**

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

1. Citation

These regulations are the *Western Australian Photo Card Amendment Regulations 2016*.

2. Commencement

These regulations come into operation as follows —

- (a) regulations 1 and 2 — on the day on which these regulations are published in the *Gazette*;
- (b) regulation 4 — on 1 July 2016;
- (c) the rest of the regulations — on the day after the day on which these regulations are published in the *Gazette*.

3. Regulations amended

These regulations amend the *Western Australian Photo Card Regulations 2014*.

4. Regulations 7A and 7B inserted

After regulation 7 insert:

7A. No fee payable by certain seniors and veterans

A fee set out in regulation 7 is not payable if the CEO is satisfied that the person making an application —

- (a) is the holder of a current age pensioner concession card issued by the Department of Human Services, or the Department of Veterans' Affairs, of the Commonwealth; or
- (b) is the holder of both a current WA Seniors Card and a current Commonwealth Seniors Health Card; or
- (c) the person is the holder of a current gold card as defined in the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986* (Commonwealth) for —
 - (i) total and permanent incapacitation; or
 - (ii) extreme disablement adjustment.

7B. Reduced fees for certain card holders

A fee set out in regulation 7 must be reduced by 50% if the CEO is satisfied that the person making the application —

- (a) is the holder of a current pensioner concession card, other than the card mentioned in regulation 7A(a), issued by the Department of Human Services, or the Department of Veterans' Affairs, of the Commonwealth; or
- (b) is the holder of a current WA Seniors Card but not a Commonwealth Seniors Health Card.

5. Regulation 10 amended

In regulation 10:

- (a) in paragraph (i) delete "section 1.4." and insert:

section 1.4;

- (b) after paragraph (i) insert:

- (j) the Secretary of the Attorney-General's Department of the Commonwealth.

Note: The heading to amended regulation 10 is to read:

Disclosure of photo card information to prescribed persons

6. Regulation 10A inserted

After regulation 10 insert:

10A. Authorised purposes for disclosure of information to prescribed persons

In relation to a prescribed person mentioned in regulation 10(j), for the definition of *authorised purpose* in section 14(1), a purpose is to verify the authenticity of a photo card using the national Document Verification Service.

R. KENNEDY, Clerk of the Executive Council.
