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Gas Standards Act 1972

Gas Standards (Gas Supply and System Safety) Amendment Regulations 2010

Made by the Lieutenant-Governor and deputy of the Governor in Executive Council.

Part 1 — Preliminary matters

1. Citation

These regulations are the *Gas Standards (Gas Supply and System Safety) Amendment Regulations 2010*.

2. Commencement

These regulations come into operation as follows —

- (a) Part 1 — on the day on which these regulations are published in the *Gazette*;
- (b) the rest of the regulations — on the day after that day.

Part 2 — *Gas Standards (Gas Supply and System Safety) Regulations 2000* amended

3. Regulations amended

This Part amends the *Gas Standards (Gas Supply and System Safety) Regulations 2000*.

4. Regulation 3 amended

- (1) In regulation 3(1) delete the definitions of:

AG

network operator

- (2) In regulation 3(1) insert in alphabetical order:

network operator —

- (a) means an undertaker who operates a distribution system; and
- (b) in relation to a prescribed activity for the purposes of a distribution system, includes any contractor, and any subcontractor, to the system's network operator who is contracted to carry out the prescribed activity;

5. Regulation 15 amended

In regulation 15(1) delete "AG 702." and insert:

AS 4647-2005 *Domestic diaphragm gas meters*.

6. Regulation 25 amended

- (1) In regulation 25(1A):

- (a) delete the definition of **employee**;
- (b) in the definition of **contractor** delete "the operator;" and insert:

the operator.

- (2) Delete regulation 25(2A).

7. Regulation 27 amended

Delete regulation 27(2) and insert:

- (2) The safety case must comply with each of these standards —

- (a) AS/NZS 4645.1:2008 *Gas distribution networks Part 1: Network management*;
- (b) if it applies to the distribution system — AS 2885.1-2007 *Pipelines — Gas and liquid petroleum Part 1: Design and construction*;
- (c) if it applies to the distribution system — AS 2885.3-2001 *Pipelines — Gas and liquid petroleum Part 3: Operation and maintenance*.

8. Regulation 44 amended

- (1) Delete regulation 44(1)(b) and insert:
- (b) within 14 days after the incident occurs, prepare and give to the Director a preliminary or final report on the investigation; and
 - (c) if the network operator gives the Director a preliminary report — within 30 days after the incident occurs, prepare and give to the Director a final report on the investigation.
- (2) Delete regulation 44(3) and insert:
- (3) A report under subregulation (1)(b) or (c) must be in writing and in a form acceptable to the Director.

9. Schedule 1 amended

In Schedule 1 delete “Mainly tetra hydor phiophene (THP)” (each occurrence) and insert:

Mainly tetra hydro thiophene (THT)

10. Schedule 2 replaced

Delete Schedule 2 and insert:

**Schedule 2 — Standards and codes containing
obligatory provisions for network operators**

[r. 24(1)]

AS/NZS 4645.1:2008	<i>Gas distribution networks Part 1: Network management</i>
AS/NZS 4645.2:2008	<i>Gas distribution networks Part 2: Steel pipe systems</i>
AS/NZS 4645.3:2008	<i>Gas distribution networks Part 3: Plastics pipe systems</i>
AS 2885.0-2008	<i>Pipelines — Gas and liquid petroleum Part 0: General requirements</i>
AS 2885.1-2007	<i>Pipelines — Gas and liquid petroleum Part 1: Design and construction</i>
AS 2885.2-2007	<i>Pipelines — Gas and liquid petroleum Part 2: Welding</i>

AS 2885.3-2001	<i>Pipelines — Gas and liquid petroleum Part 3: Operation and maintenance</i>
AS/NZS 2885.5:2002	<i>Pipelines — Gas and liquid petroleum Part 5: Field pressure testing</i>
AS 4564-2005	<i>Specification for general purpose natural gas</i>
AS 4670-2006	<i>Commercial propane and commercial butane for heating purposes</i>
AS 4647-2005	<i>Domestic diaphragm gas meters</i>
AS/NZS 4944:2006	<i>Gas meters — In-service compliance testing</i>

**Part 3 — Gas Standards (Gas Supply and System Safety)
Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2009 amended**

11. Regulations amended

This Part amends the *Gas Standards (Gas Supply and System Safety) Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2009*.

12. Regulation 12 amended

- (1) In regulation 12 in the insertion in regulation 23(1):
- (a) delete the definition of *employee*;
 - (b) in the definition of *contractor* delete “the operator;” and insert:

the operator.
- (2) In regulation 12 in the insertion delete regulation 23(3).
- (3) In regulation 12 in the insertion in regulation 23(4) delete “(4) Work” and insert:
- (3) Work

By Command of the Lieutenant-Governor
and deputy of the Governor,

PETER CONRAN, Clerk of the Executive Council.