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School Education Act 1999

**School Education Amendment Regulations 2003**

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

**1. Citation**

These regulations may be cited as the *School Education Amendment Regulations 2003*.

**2. The regulations amended**

The amendments in these regulations are to the *School Education Regulations 2000\**.

[\* *Published in Gazette 29 December 2000, p. 7795-900.*  
*For amendments to 21 August 2003 see Western Australian Legislation Information Tables for 2002, Table 4, p. 343, and Gazette 30 June 2003.*]

**3. Regulation 15 replaced**

Regulation 15 is repealed and the following regulation is inserted instead —

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**15. Priority of enrolment at a particular government school for pre-compulsory education period: s. 244(1)**

- (1) If the number of children in their pre-compulsory education period applying for enrolment at a particular local-intake school for a particular year exceeds the number of available places at the school, priority for enrolment is to be given in the following order —
- (a) to a child whose usual place of residence is in the intake area for the school —
    - (i) who has a sibling who is enrolled at the school for that year; and
    - (ii) who lives nearest the school;
  - (b) to a child whose usual place of residence is in the intake area for the school —
    - (i) who does not have a sibling who is enrolled at the school for that year; and
    - (ii) who lives nearest the school;

- (c) to a child whose usual place of residence is not in the intake area for the school —
    - (i) who has a sibling who is enrolled at the school for that year; and
    - (ii) who lives nearest the school;
  - (d) to a child whose usual place of residence is not in the intake area for the school —
    - (i) who does not have a sibling who is enrolled at the school for that year; and
    - (ii) who lives nearest the school.
- (2) If the number of children in their pre-compulsory education period applying for enrolment at a particular government school that is not a local-intake school for a particular year exceeds the number of available places at the school, priority for enrolment is to be given to the child who lives nearest the school.

**4. Regulation 136 amended**

Regulation 136(2) is repealed and the following subregulations are inserted instead —

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- (2) For the purposes of section 206(2), if the number of children applying for enrolment at a particular kindergarten for a particular year exceeds the number of available places at the kindergarten and the kindergarten's link school is a local-intake school, priority for enrolment is to be given in the following order —
- (a) to a child whose usual place of residence is in the intake area of the link school —
    - (i) who has a sibling enrolled at the link school for that year; and
    - (ii) who lives nearest the kindergarten;
  - (b) to a child whose usual place of residence is in the intake area of the link school —
    - (i) who does not have a sibling enrolled at the link school for that year; and
    - (ii) who lives nearest the kindergarten;
  - (c) to a child whose usual place of residence is not in the intake area of the link school —
    - (i) who has a sibling enrolled at the link school for that year; and
    - (ii) who lives nearest the kindergarten;
  - (d) to a child whose usual place of residence is not in the intake area of the link school —
    - (i) who does not have a sibling enrolled at the link school for that year; and

- (ii) who lives nearest the kindergarten.
- (3) For the purposes of section 206(2), if the number of children applying for enrolment at a particular kindergarten for a particular year exceeds the number of available places at the kindergarten and the kindergarten's link school is not a local-intake school, priority for enrolment is to be given to the child who lives nearest the kindergarten.

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By Command of the Governor,

M. C. WAUCHOPE, Clerk of the Executive Council.