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RADIATION SAFETY ACT 1975
RADIATION SAFETY (GENERAL) AMENDMENT
REGULATIONS (NO. 2) 1991

Made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

Citation

1. These regulations may be cited as the *Radiation Safety (General) Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1991*.

Commencement

2. These regulations shall come into operation on 1 January 1992.

Principal regulations

3. In these regulations the *Radiation Safety (General) Regulations 1983** are referred to as the principal regulations.

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For amendments to 28 October 1991 see p.344 of 1990 Index to
Legislation of Western Australia and Gazettes of 15 March, 28
June and 6 September 1991.]

Regulation 3 amended

4. Regulation 3 of the principal regulations is amended by inserting in the appropriate alphabetical positions the following definitions —

- “ **“industrial radiographer”** means a licensee who holds a licence which specifies that the purpose of the licence is industrial radiography; ”;
- “ **“licence card”** means a card issued in the form set out in Form RS16 of Schedule II; ”.

Regulation 10 (1) amended

5. Regulation 10 (1) of the principal regulations is amended —

- (a) by deleting “and” after paragraph (b);
- (b) by deleting the full stop after paragraph (c) and substituting the following —
- “ ; and ” ; and
- (c) by inserting the following paragraph after paragraph (c) —
- “ (d) where the applicant seeks approval to carry out industrial radiography, deliver with the application 2 passport sized colour photographs of the head and shoulders of the applicant, dated and signed on the back by the applicant. ”.

Regulation 10A inserted

6. After regulation 10 of the principal regulations the following regulation is inserted —

Industrial radiographers to carry and produce licence cards

- “ 10A. (1) An industrial radiographer shall carry a licence card while carrying out any work with irradiating apparatus or radioactive substances.

(2) An industrial radiographer shall, on the request of an authorized officer, produce a valid licence card issued to the industrial radiographer for inspection by the authorized officer.

(3) A licence card is valid at any time before the expiry date set out on the card..

(4) This regulation applies in respect of each individual radiographer only after a licence card has been furnished to that radiographer under regulation 59(16). ”.

Regulation 59 amended

7. Regulation 59 of the principal regulations is amended by inserting after subregulation (15) the following subregulation —

“ (16) The Council shall, on granting a licence or renewal of licence in respect of radioactive substances or irradiating apparatus to a person who is or who is applying to be an industrial radiographer, furnish that person with a licence card on Form RS16. ”

Schedule II amended

8. After Form RS15 in Schedule II to the principal regulations the following Form is inserted —

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Form RS16

RADIATION SAFETY ACT 1975	
_____	holds a licence under the Act for the use of
	RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES (LS /)
	IRRADIATING APPARATUS (LX /)
	(Delete whichever is not applicable)
	for the purpose of INDUSTRIAL RADIOGRAPHY
_____	Activity Limits
Licences held under the <i>Radiation Safety Act 1975</i> are subject to all applicable regulations under the Act and to any conditions, restrictions or limitations imposed when the licence was issued.	Expiry date
.....	Chairman, Radiological Council. (not valid until signed)

By His Excellency's Command,

L. M. AULD, Clerk of the Council.