



Western Australia

Local Government (Parking for Disabled Persons) Regulations 1988

Compare between:

[25 Jun 2004, 01-b0-06] and [01 Dec 2014, 01-c0-02]

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Local Government Act 1995

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1. Citation

These regulations may be cited as the *Local Government (Parking for Disabled Persons) Regulations 1988*¹.

[Regulation 1 inserted in Gazette 24 Jun 1996 p. 2857.]

2. Interpretation

In these regulations unless the contrary intention appears —

ACROD sticker means a current parking sticker issued by ACROD Limited (Western Australian Division) a corporation, being a company limited by guarantee incorporated under the *Companies Ordinance 1962* of the Australian Capital Territory;

international symbol for access for the disabled means the symbol described in Australian Standard 1428;

parking bay means a portion of a road or parking facility set aside for use by a disabled person and identified in accordance with regulation 4;

vehicle of a disabled person means a vehicle —

- (a) in which a disabled person is either the driver or a passenger; and
- (b) which is identified in accordance with regulation 5.

[Regulation 2 amended in Gazette 24 Jun 1996 p. 2859.]

3. Parking for disabled persons

A person shall not stand or park a vehicle, other than a vehicle referred to in regulation 5, on any land which has been set aside within a parking region as a parking bay for use of a disabled person.

Penalty: \$1 000.

[Regulation 3 amended in Gazette 24 Jun 1996 p. 2858 and 2859.]

4. Specified manner of identification of land

The land on which a parking bay has been set aside shall be identified, for the purposes of regulation 3, by —

- (a) the words “Disabled Parking Only” clearly written on the ground within the limits of the parking bay; and
- (b) an elevated sign, so located as to identify the parking bay to which it relates, on which there appears the international symbol for access for the disabled.

[Regulation 4 amended in Gazette 24 Jun 1996 p. 2859.]

5. Specified manner of identification of vehicle

The vehicle of a disabled person shall be identified, for the purposes of regulation 3, by displaying a current ACROD sticker, which shall be displayed in a prominent position, in such a manner as to be clearly visible from the front of the vehicle.

[Regulation 5 amended in Gazette 24 Jun 1996 p. 2859.]

6. Unauthorised parking bays prohibited

A person shall not identify or purport to identify a parking bay in accordance with regulation 4 without the written authority of the local government.

[Regulation 6 amended in Gazette 24 Jun 1996 p. 2858 and 2859.]

7. Unauthorised use of ACROD sticker prohibited

A person, other than a disabled person, shall not identify or purport to identify a vehicle in accordance with regulation 5.

Penalty: \$1 000.

[Regulation 7 amended in Gazette 24 Jun 1996 p. 2858 and 2859.]

8. Infringement notice offences

- (1) An offence described in column 1 of Schedule 1 is prescribed for the purposes of section 9.16(1) of the Act.
- (2) The amount specified in column 2 of Schedule 1 for the offence is the modified penalty that is to be specified in an infringement notice given for that offence.

[Regulation 8 inserted in Gazette 24 Jun 1996 p. 2858.]

[9-12. Deleted in Gazette 24 Jun 1996 p. 2858.]

Schedule 1

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[regulation 8]

Infringement notice offences and modified penalties

Column 1	Column 2
Description of Offence	\$
Standing a vehicle in a parking bay for the disabled in contravention of regulation 3.....	120
Parking a vehicle in a parking bay for the disabled in contravention of regulation 3.....	120
Unauthorised use of an ACROD sticker in contravention of regulation 7.....	140

[Schedule 1 amended in Gazette 21 Apr 1995 p. 1375; 24 Jun 1996 p. 2858-9; 25 Jun 2004 p. 2243.]

[Schedule 2 deleted in Gazette 24 Jun 1996 p. 2859.]

Notes

- ¹ This is a compilation of the *Local Government (Parking for Disabled Persons) Regulations 1988* and includes the amendments made by the other written laws referred to in the following table. The table also contains information about any reprint.

Compilation table

Citation	Gazettal	Commencement
<i>Local Government Uniform General (Parking for Disabled Persons) By-laws 1988</i> ²	5 Feb 1988 p. 299-303	5 Feb 1988
<i>Local Government Uniform General (Parking for Disabled Persons) Amendment By-laws 1995</i>	21 Apr 1995 p. 1374-5	21 Apr 1995
<i>Local Government (Parking for Disabled Persons) Amendment Regulations 1996</i>	24 Jun 1996 p. 2857-9	1 Jul 1996 (see r. 2)
Reprint 1: The <i>Local Government (Parking for Disabled Persons) Regulations 1988</i> as at 18 Jul 2003 (includes amendments listed above)		
<i>Local Government (Parking for Disabled Persons) Amendment Regulations 2004</i>	25 Jun 2004 p. 2242-3	25 Jun 2004
<u>These regulations were repealed by the <i>Local Government (Parking for People with Disabilities) Regulations 2014 r. 10</i> as at 1 Dec 2014 (see r. 2(b))</u>		

- ² Now known as the *Local Government (Parking for Disabled Persons) Regulations 1988*; citation changed (see note under r. 1).