

Fair Trading (Funeral Pricing Code of Practice) Regulations 2022

Compare between:

[08 Nov 2022, 00-a0-00] and [01 May 2023, 00-b0-02]

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1. Citation

These regulations are the Fair Trading (Funeral Pricing Code of Practice) Regulations 2022.

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) the rest of the regulations on 1 May 2023.

[3, 4. Have not come into operation.]

[3. Code of practice prescribed

(1) In this regulation —

funeral director has the meaning given in clause 1 of the code of practice set out in Schedule 1-has.

(2) The code of practice set out in Schedule 1 is prescribed under section 45 of the Act as a code of practice that applies in relation to the supply of goods and services by funeral directors for burials and cremations.

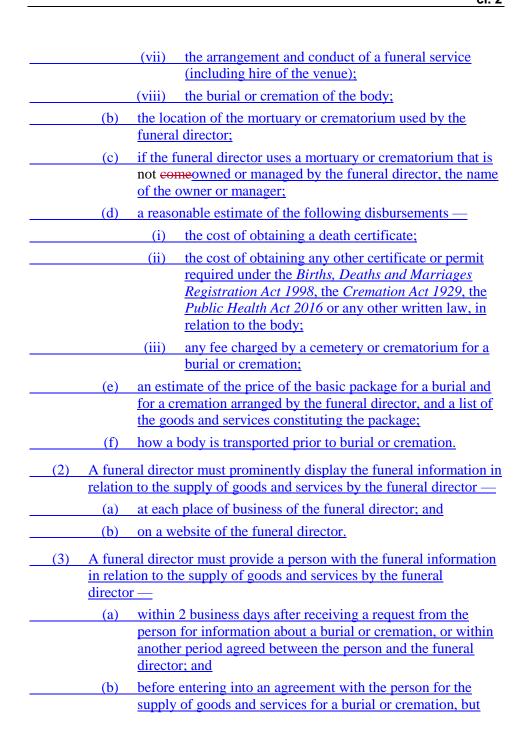
4. Expiry of regulations

These regulations expire on 1 May 2026 ¹.

Schedule 1 — Funeral Pricing Code of Practice 2022

[r. 3(2)]

1.	Terms used					
	In this code —					
	business day means a day other than a Saturday, Sunday or public					
	holiday;					
	funeral director has the meaning given in the Prepaid Funerals Code					
	of Practice clause 2;					
	Prepaid Funerals Code of Practice means the code of practice set of					
	in the Fair Trading (Prepaid Funerals Code of Practice)					
	Regulations 2020 Schedule 1.					
2.	Display and provision of funeral information to prospective					
	<u>consumers</u>					
(1)	In this clause —					
	basic package means the combination of essential goods and services					
	required for a burial or cremation, whether or not the goods and					
	services are supplied by the funeral director;					
	funeral information, in relation to the supply of goods and services					
	by a funeral director for burials and cremations, means the following —					
	(a) the price of each of the following, to the extent that the funeral director supplies these goods and services —					
	(i) the transport of the body prior to burial or cremation;					
	(ii) the storage of the body at a mortuary or holding					
	room;					
	(iii) the hire of a refrigeration plate;					
	(iv) each type of coffin, casket or shroud supplied (or the					
	price range of all coffins, caskets or shrouds					
	supplied);					
	(v) the care and preparation of the body prior to burial or					
	cremation;					
	(vi) viewing of the body prior to burial or cremation;					



only if the person has not already been provided with the funeral information under paragraph (a).

- 3. Provision of specific information to consumers before entering into operation. agreement for provision of funeral services
 - Before entering into an agreement with a person for the supply of goods and services for a burial or cremation, a funeral director must provide the following information to the person
 - (a) the price of each of the particular goods and services that will be supplied to the person under the agreement;
 - (b) the cost of any disbursements that will be payable by the person under the agreement;
 - (c) the total amount payable under the agreement.
- 4. Effect of this code

This code does not prevent a funeral director from supplying —

- (a) any goods and services for a burial or cremation not referred to in this code; or
- (b) goods and services for a burial or cremation in the form of a package.

Notes

This is a compilation of the *Fair Trading (Funeral Pricing Code of Practice)**Regulations-_2022. For provisions that have come into operation see the compilation table. For provisions that have not yet come into operation see the uncommenced provisions table.

Compilation table

Citation	Published	Commencement
Fair Trading (Funeral Pricing Code of		<u>r. 1 and 2:</u> 8 Nov 2022
Practice) Regulations-2022 r. 1 and 2	8 Nov 2022	(see r. 2(a <u>));</u> Regulations other than r. 1 and 2:
		1 May 2023 (see r. 2(b))

Uncommenced provisions table

To view the text of the uncommenced provisions see *Subsidiary legislation as made* on the WA Legislation website.

Citation	Published	Commencement
Fair Trading (Funeral Pricing Code of Practice) Regulations 2022 (other than r. 1 and 2)		1 May 2023 (see r. 2(b))

Other notes

1 These regulations expire on 1 May 2026 (see r. 4).