POLICE

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Misuse of Drugs Act 1981

Misuse of Drugs Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 2011

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

1. Citation

These regulations are the Misuse of Drugs Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 2011.

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 when the *Cannabis Law Reform Act 2010* Part 3 comes into operation.

3. Regulations amended

These regulations amend the Misuse of Drugs Regulations 1982.

4. Regulation 5AA inserted

After regulation 4A insert:

5AA. Minor cannabis related offences — forms

- (1) If a term is given a meaning in section 8B of the Act, it has the same meaning in this regulation.
- (2) For the purposes of section 8F of the Act, a cannabis intervention requirement is to be in the form of Form 16.
- (3) For the purposes of section 8I of the Act, a notice withdrawing a cannabis intervention requirement is to be in the form of Form 17.
- (4) For the purposes of section 8M of the Act, a certificate of completion of a cannabis intervention session is to be in the form of Form 18.

5. Regulation 6A inserted

After regulation 5E insert:

6A. Cannabis smoking paraphernalia — shisha and hookah excluded

For the purposes of section 19A of the Act the following things are prescribed as classes of things excluded from the definition of *cannabis smoking paraphernalia* —

- (a) shishas;
- (b) hookahs.

6. Schedule 1 amended

CIR No.
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After Schedule 1 Form 15 insert:

Form M.D. 16

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CANNABIS INTERVENTION REQUIREMENT

Alleged offender							
Surname							
Given name/s							
Number & street							
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Alleged Offence							
It is alleged that at the following place and time							
Place (Address)							
	Postcode						
Date/20							
Time a.m./p.m.							
You committed the following minor cannabis related offence/s.							

Misuse of Drugs Act 1981	Description of offence
\Box s. 5(1)(d)(i)	Possession of a smoking utensil
	that has detectable traces of
	cannabis
□ s. 6(2)	Possession or use of not more than
	10 grams of cannabis*
	* not including any cannabis plant
	under cultivation, cannabis resin
	or any other cannabis derivative

Issuing Officer			
Station			
Signature			
Date	/	/	_

WHAT YOU MUST DO

You have a period of 28 days after this notice was given to you to complete a CANNABIS INTERVENTION SESSION (CIS) OR elect to be prosecuted for the alleged offence. If you do not complete the CIS, then you will be prosecuted for the alleged offence.

YOUR FAILURE TO COMPLETE THE CIS OR ELECT TO BE PROSECUTED WILL RESULT IN FURTHER ACTION AGAINST YOU.

CANNABIS INTERVENTION SESSION

The Cannabis Intervention Session (CIS) is a mandatory one-to-one therapeutic intervention with a trained alcohol and drug counsellor.

As part of the CIS you will be provided with information on —

- the adverse health and social consequences of cannabis use; and
- the laws relating to the use, possession and cultivation of cannabis; and
- effective strategies to address cannabis using behaviour.

The CIS takes approximately 60-90 minutes to complete.

You are required to complete the CIS within 28 days after this Cannabis Intervention Requirement (CIR) was given to you.

What you need to do/know

- Contact the Cannabis Intervention Session Booking Service on 1800 722 362 between 7.00 a.m. — 7.00 p.m., Monday to Sunday, to book a CIS with an approved treatment provider. The personal information provided during the booking process will be recorded and passed on to the approved treatment provider and stored on a health database.
- When making your booking ensure you have a pen available to write down the time, date and address of the CIS in the space provided below on this form.

You are strongly advised to phone the CIS Booking Service within 3 days from the date this CIR was given to you to ensure a booking can be made for you within the 28 day permitted period.

No reminders will be issued.

You need to bring to the CIS -

- Photographic identification
- This CIR.

You must arrive on time and complete the entire CIS.

CIS appointment details

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Authorised Person issuing this withdrawal notice

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Form M.D. 18

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N. HAGLEY, Clerk of the Executive Council.