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Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage Amendment By-laws 2004

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Water Agencies (Powers) Act 1984

Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage Amendment By-laws 2004

Made by the Minister under section 34(1) of the *Water Agencies* (*Powers*) Act 1984.

1. Citation

These by-laws may be cited as the *Metropolitan Water Supply*, *Sewerage and Drainage Amendment By-laws 2004*.

2. Commencement

These by-laws come into operation at the same time as the *Water Services Coordination (Plumbers Licensing) Amendment Regulations 2004* come into operation.

3. The by-laws amended

The amendments in these by-laws are to the *Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage By-laws 1981**.

[* Reprinted as at 17 August 2001. For amendments to 31 May 2004 see Western Australian Legislation Information Tables for 2003, Table 4, p. 244.]

4. By-law 1.1 amended

By-law 1.1 is amended as follows:

(a) by inserting the following definition in the appropriate alphabetical position —

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"Plumbing Standards" has the meaning given to that term in regulation 3(1) of the Water Services Licensing (Plumbers Licensing and Plumbing Standards) Regulations 2000.

(b) by deleting the definition of "Licensed Plumber" and inserting instead —

"Licensed Plumber" means a person who holds a plumbing contractor's licence under the Water Services Licensing (Plumbers Licensing and Plumbing Standards) Regulations 2000.

(c) by deleting the definition of "Sanitary Plumbing" and inserting instead —

"Sanitary Plumbing" means plumbing that is the result of sanitary plumbing work as defined in regulation 3(1) of the Water Services Licensing (Plumbers Licensing and Plumbing Standards) Regulations 2000.

(d) by deleting the definitions of "Drainage Plumbing" and "Water Supply Plumbing".

5. By-laws 1.2, 1.3 and 1.4 repealed

By-laws 1.2, 1.3 and 1.4 are repealed.

6. By-law 6.3 amended

By-law 6.3.7 is amended by deleting "(See by-law 19.1 regarding methods of operation.)".

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7. Part 7.0 repealed

Part 7.0 (that is, the heading immediately before by-law 7.1 and by-laws 7.1 to 7.3) is repealed.

8. Part 8.0 repealed

Part 8.0 (that is, the heading immediately before by-law 8.1 and by-law 8.1) is repealed.

9. Part 11.0 amended

By-law 11.2.1 and figure 11.1 are repealed.

10. Part 12.0 amended

By-laws 12.2, 12.3 and 12.4 are repealed.

11. Part 14.0 repealed

Part 14.0 (that is, the heading immediately before by-law 14.2 and by-laws 14.2 and 14.4) is repealed.

12. By-law 15.2 amended

By-law 15.2 is amended by deleting "Refer Figure 12.1.".

13. Part 16.0 repealed

Part 16.0 (that is, the heading immediately before by-law 16.1 and by-laws 16.1 and 16.2) is repealed.

14. Part 18.0 amended

By-laws 18.2, 18.3 and 18.20 are repealed.

15. Part 19.0 repealed

Part 19.0 (that is, the heading immediately before by-law 19.3 and by-law 19.3) is repealed.

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16. Part 25.0 repealed

Part 25.0 (that is, the heading immediately before by-law 25.7 and by-law 25.7) is repealed.

17. Part 26.0 repealed

Part 26.0 (that is, the heading immediately before by-law 26.4 and by-law 26.4) is repealed.

18. By-law 27.3 amended

- (1) By-law 27.3.2 is amended by inserting after "new building"
 - "that is to be connected to a sewer".
- (2) By-law 27.3.3 is amended as follows:
 - (a) by deleting "dwelling who proposes to have constructed or altered any property sewer, or to have fixtures on that property connected to, or other work of a sanitary nature carried out for connection to," and inserting instead
 - ' building who proposes to connect the building to ";
 - (b) by inserting after "system shall"
 - ", if by-law 27.3.2 does not apply".
- (3) By-law 27.3.4 is repealed and the following by-law is inserted instead —

27.3.4 Fee for notices about proposed sewer connections

The person who gives the Corporation notice of a proposal under by-law 27.3.2 or 27.3.3 shall pay the fee set out in item 1 of Schedule C, at the time of giving the notice.

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19. By-law 27.8 amended

By-law 27.8.2, 27.8.3, 27.8.5 and 27.8.9 are repealed.

20. Part 28.0 amended

- (1) By-law 28.1(c) is amended by deleting "25" and inserting instead
 - " 18 ".
- (2) By-laws 28.3.4, 28.3.5 to 28.3.13 are repealed.
- (3) By-law 28.4(c) is amended by inserting after "roof," "ground, domestic swimming pool,".
- (4) Figures 28.1 to 28.17 are repealed.
- (5) By-laws 28.6.1 and 28.6.3 are repealed.
- (6) By-law 28.7 is repealed.
- (7) By-law 28.8 is repealed.
- (8) By-laws 28.9.1 to 28.9.11 are repealed.
- (9) By-law 28.9.12(a) is amended by deleting "by-law 28.3.7" and inserting instead
 - "the plumbing standards".
- (10) By-laws 28.9.13 to 28.9.18 are repealed.
- (11) By-law 28.9.19.1 is amended as follows:
 - (a) in paragraph (a) by inserting after "these by-laws" —" and the plumbing standards";
 - (b) by deleting paragraph (d).

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21. Part 30.0 amended

(1) By-laws 30.9.1, 30.9.2 and 30.9.3 are repealed and the following by-laws are inserted instead —

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- 30.9.3 Diagrams of drainage plumbing
- 30.9.3.1 A licensed plumber must, within 5 working days of completing major plumbing work that is the installation or alteration of drainage plumbing, give to the Corporation a diagram or diagrams of the completed work in the form required by the Corporation.

Penalty: \$1 000.

30.9.3.2 A licensed plumber must, within 5 working days of the end of a month in which the licensed plumber has completed minor plumbing work that is the alteration of drainage plumbing, give to the Corporation a diagram or diagrams of the completed work in the form required by the Corporation.

Penalty: \$500.

30.9.3.3 If the Corporation provides plan sheets for the preparation of diagrams under by-law 30.9.3.1 or 30.9.3.2, the appropriate fee set out in item 9 of Schedule C is payable in respect of the provision of those sheets.

30.9.3.4 In this by-law —

"drainage plumbing" has the meaning given to that term in section 3(1) of the *Water Services*Licensing (Plumbers Licensing and Plumbing Standards) Regulations 2000;

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- "major plumbing work" has the meaning given to that term in section 3(1) of the Water Services Licensing (Plumbers Licensing and Plumbing Standards) Regulations 2000;
- "minor plumbing work" has the meaning given to that term in section 3(1) of the *Water Services Licensing (Plumbers Licensing and Plumbing Standards) Regulations 2000.*
- (2) By-laws 30.9.4 to 30.9.6 are repealed.
- (3) By-law 30.16 is amended by inserting after "pipes" " and fittings".
- (4) By-law 30.16A.1 is amended by deleting "Coordination" and inserting instead
 - " Licensing ".

22. Schedule C amended

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Schedule C is amended as follows:

- (a) by deleting item 1 and inserting instead —
- - (b) by deleting items 7 and 8.

J. EDWARDS, Minister for the Environment.