
LOCAL GOVERNMENT

LG301*

Caravan Parks and Camping Grounds Act 1995

**Caravan Parks and Camping Grounds
Amendment Regulations 1999**

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

1. Citation

These regulations may be cited as the *Caravan Parks and Camping Grounds Amendment Regulations 1999*.

2. The regulations amended

The amendments in these regulations are to the *Caravan Parks and Camping Grounds Regulations 1997**.

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3. Regulation 8A inserted

After regulation 8 the following regulation is inserted —

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8A. Definition of “camp” in this Part

In this Part —

“**camp**” when used as a verb, includes to camp in a vehicle.

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4. Regulation 11 amended

- (1) Regulation 11(1) is repealed and the following subregulation inserted instead —

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- (1) A person may camp —

- (a) for up to 3 nights in any period of 28 consecutive days on land which he or she owns or has a legal right to occupy, and may camp for longer than 3 nights on such land if he or she has written approval under subregulation (2) and is complying with that approval;
- (b) for up to 24 consecutive hours in a caravan or other vehicle on a road side rest area;

- (c) for up to 24 consecutive hours in a caravan or other vehicle on a road reserve in an emergency, unless to do so would cause a hazard to other road users or contravene any other written law with respect to the use of the road reserve;
- (d) on any land which is —
 - (i) held by a State instrumentality in freehold or leasehold; or
 - (ii) dedicated, reserved, or set apart under the *Land Administration Act 1997* or any other written law, and placed under the care, control or management of a State instrumentality,
 in accordance with the permission of that instrumentality; or
- (e) on any unallocated Crown land or unmanaged reserve, in accordance with the permission of the Minister within the meaning of the *Land Administration Act 1997*, or a person authorized by the Minister to give permission under this paragraph.

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(2) Subregulation 11(2) is amended —

- (a) by inserting after “(1)” —

“ (a) ”;

- (b) after paragraph (a) by deleting “or”;

and

- (c) after paragraph (b) by deleting the full stop and inserting —

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; or

- (c) despite paragraph (b), by the local government of the district where the land is situated —
 - (i) if such approval will not result in the land being camped on for longer than 12 consecutive months; and
 - (ii) if the person owns or has a legal right to occupy the land and is to camp in a caravan on the land while a building licence issued to that person in respect of the land is in force.

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(3) After regulation 11(2) the following subregulation is inserted —

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(3) In this regulation —

“**building licence**” means a building licence under section 374 of the *Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1960*;

“**emergency**” means a situation where to move the caravan or other vehicle to a more suitable area would constitute an immediate and serious hazard due to the condition of the caravan or other vehicle, or a vehicle towing the caravan, or of the driver, or passengers, of any such vehicle;

“**road side rest area**” means an area designated as such by a traffic sign erected in accordance with a written law;

“**State instrumentality**” has the same meaning as it has for the purposes of the *Land Administration Act 1997*;

“**unallocated Crown land**” has the same meaning as it has for the purposes of the *Land Administration Act 1997*;

“**unmanaged reserve**” has the same meaning as it has for the purposes of the *Land Administration Act 1997*.

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5. Schedule 8 amended

Schedule 8 is amended by deleting the definition of “camp”.

By Command of the Governor,

ROD SPENCER, Clerk of the Executive Council.
