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**RADIATION SAFETY ACT 1975****RADIATION SAFETY (TRANSPORT OF RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES)  
REGULATIONS 1991**

Made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

**Citation**

1. These regulations may be cited as the *Radiation Safety (Transport of Radioactive Substances) Regulations 1991*.

**Commencement**

2. These regulations shall come into operation 3 months after the day on which they are published in the *Gazette*.

**Interpretation**

3. In these regulations, unless the contrary intention appears—

“carrier” means person who is a carrier within the meaning of paragraph 115 of the International Regulations;

“consignor” means a person who is a consignor within the meaning of paragraph 120 of the International Regulations;

“the Act” means the *Radiation Safety Act 1975*;

“the Code” means the Code of Practice for the Safe Transport of Radioactive Substances (1990)—

(a) approved by order under section 9 of the *Environment Protection (Nuclear Codes) Act 1978* of the Parliament of the Commonwealth; and

(b) published for the Department of Arts, Sport, the Environment, Tourism and Territories of the Commonwealth by the Australian Government Publishing Service;

“the International Regulations” means the International Atomic Energy Agency Regulations for the Safe Transport of Radioactive Materials 1985 incorporating the 1988 supplement—

(a) as amended to, and published in, December 1988; and

(b) set out in Annexe 1 to the Code.

**Definition of “radioactive substance”**

4. For the purposes of these regulations, a substance referred to in the definition of “radioactive substance” in section 4 of the Act consists of or contains more than the maximum prescribed concentration of any radioactive element, whether natural or artificial, if its radioactivity exceeds 74 000 becquerels per kilogram of that substance.

**Code and International Regulations,  
as modified, adopted**

5. The transport of radioactive substances in Western Australia and the storing, packing and stowing of radioactive substances for transport therein shall be in accordance with the Code and the International Regulations as modified by these regulations.

**Competent authority**

6. For the purposes of these regulations, a reference in the International Regulations to the competent authority or the relevant competent authority is, unless the contrary intention appears, a reference to the Council.

**Duty of carrier**

7. Subject to the International Regulations, a person who is a carrier shall comply with the requirements of each of the paragraphs of the International Regulations specified in Schedule 1 to these regulations in relation to the transport by him of radioactive substances.

**Duty of consignor**

8. Subject to the International Regulations, a person who is a consignor shall comply with the requirements of each of the paragraphs of the International Regulations specified in Schedule II to these regulations in relation to the consignment by him of radioactive substances.

**Interference with contents of consignments, labelling or marking or documents penalised**

9. A person shall not interfere with—

- (a) the contents of a consignment within the meaning of paragraph 119 of the International Regulations;
- (b) any labelling or marking required by the International Regulations; or
- (c) any document relating to a consignment referred to in paragraph (a) of this regulation,

except in the exercise of any power or the performance of any duty conferred or imposed on him by or under the Act or with the permission of the relevant carrier or consignor or of the Council.

**Repeal**

10. The *Radiation Safety (Transport of Radioactive Substances) Regulations 1982\** are repealed.

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**Schedule I**

(Reg. 7)

**PARAGRAPHS OF INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS TO BE COMPLIED WITH BY CARRIERS**

Paragraphs 107, 201, 202, 204 to 211, 408 to 414, 440 to 445, 453 and 454.

**Schedule II**

(Reg. 8)

**PARAGRAPHS OF INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS TO BE COMPLIED WITH BY CONSIGNORS**

Paragraphs 201 to 211 and 301 to 730.

By His Excellency's Command,

L. AULD, Clerk of the Council.

**HE303****HOSPITALS ACT 1927****HOSPITALS (SERVICES CHARGES) AMENDMENT REGULATIONS (No. 3) 1991**

Made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

**Citation**

1. These regulations may be cited as the *Hospitals (Services Charges) Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 1991*.

**Commencement**

2. These regulations shall come into operation on 28 March 1991.

**Schedule amended**

3. The Schedule to the *Hospitals (Services Charges) Regulations 1984\** is amended in Part I by deleting in the items referred to in column 1 of the Table to this regulation the charges respectively set out in column 2 of the Table and substituting in each case the corresponding charge set out in column 3 of the Table.

Table

Column 1 Item	Column 2 Deleted charge	Column 3 New charge
1 (c)	22.00	22.70
1 (d) (i)	78.15	78.85
1 (d) (ii)	72.15	72.85
3 (a)	59.55	60.25
3 (b)	53.55	54.25
4	20.05	20.75

[\*Published in the Gazette on 27 January 1984 at pp. 231-234. For amendments to 15 March 1991 see pp. 273-74 of 1989 Index to Legislation of Western Australia and Gazettes of 12 April, 25 May, 21 June, 4 and 14 September 1990, and 25 January and 22 February 1991.]

By His Excellency's Command,

L. AULD, Clerk of the Council.