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## **Biodiversity Conservation Amendment Regulations 2023**

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

**1. Citation**

These regulations are the *Biodiversity Conservation Amendment Regulations 2023*.

**2. Commencement**

These regulations come into operation as follows —

- (a) regulations 1 and 2 — on the day on which these regulations are published on the WA legislation website;
- (b) the rest of the regulations — on 4 November 2023.

**3. Regulations amended**

These regulations amend the *Biodiversity Conservation Regulations 2018*.

**4. Regulation 153 replaced**

Delete regulation 153 and insert:

**153. Officer liability for corporate offences involving sandalwood**

*The Criminal Code* section 39 (which provides for the criminal liability of officers of a body corporate) applies to an offence under any of the following —

- (a) regulation 68(3), 96(1) or (2), 136(1), (2), (3), (4) or (5), 137(1), (3), (4) or (5), 138(2), (3) or (4) or 139(1);
- (b) regulation 84, 85(2) or (3), 86(2), 90(2), 98, or 101(2), but only if the offence involves a licence that relates to sandalwood;
- (c) regulation 142, but only if the offence involves sandalwood.

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