

Update Becroft and Hall's Transport Law

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Legislation

The Crimes Act 1961 was amended by the Coroners Amendment Act 2023, effective 5 April 2023.

The Land Transport Act 1998 was amended by:

- the Land Transport (Drug Driving) Amendment Act 2022, effective 11 March 2023; and
- the Criminal Activity Intervention Legislation Act 2023, effective 5 April 2023.

The Land Transport (Blood Test Fee) Notice 2018 was revoked and replaced by the Land Transport (Blood Test Fee) Notice 2023, effective 11 March 2023.

The Land Transport (Infringement and Reminder Notices) Regulations 2012 was amended by the Land Transport (Infringement and Reminder Notices) Amendment Regulations 2023, effective 11 March 2023.

The Land Transport (Offences and Penalties) Regulations 1999 was amended by the Land Transport (Drug Driving) Amendment Act 2022, effective 11 March 2023.

The Sentencing Act 2002 was amended by the Land Transport (Drug Driving) Amendment Act 2022, effective 11 March 2023.

The Summary Proceedings Act 1957 was amended by the Organic Products and Production Act 2023, effective 13 April 2023.

The Traffic Regulations 1976 was amended by the Coroners Amendment Act 2023, effective 5 April 2023.

Commentary

Land Transport Act

Commentary has been updated in the following paragraphs:

- Part 1 — Preliminary provisions: see [LTA2.1].
- Part 2 — Primary responsibilities of participants in land transport system: see [LTA11A.1], [LTA13.1].
- Part 5 — Offences relating to driving (other than alcohol-related offences) and penalties: see [LTA35.7], [LTA35.10], [LTA35.18], [LTA39.7].
- Part 6 — Driving offences involving drink or drugs, and penalties and procedures: see [LTAPART6.1], [LTAPART6.2], [LTAPG1]–[LTAPG4], [LTA56.20], [LTA57A.1]–[LTA57A.21], [LTA57B.1]–[LTA57B.5], [LTA57C.1]–[LTA57C.6], [LTA57D.1]–[LTA57D.4], [LTA58.1]–[LTA58.2], [LTA58.9], [LTA58.10], [LTA58.15], [LTA59.1], [LTA59.4]–[LTA59.6], [LTA59.8], [LTA60.1], [LTA60.3], [LTA60.7], [LTA60.29], [LTA61.1], [LTA61.6], [LTA61.7], [LTA61.11], [LTA62.2], [LTA63.1], [LTA64.2AB], [LTA64.3], [LTA64.5], [LTA65AB.1], [LTA67.1], [LTA67.2], [LTA68.2],

[LTA70A.1B], [LTA71A.1], [LTA71B.1], [LTA71C.1], [LTA71D.1], [LTA71E.1], [LTA71F.1]–[LTA71F.17], [LTA71G.1], [LTA72.1], [LTA72.2], [LTA72.3], [LTA72.9], [LTA72.15A]–[LTA72.17B], [LTA72.17A]–[LTA72.17B], [LTA73A.1], [LTA75.2], [LTA77.2], [LTA77A.1], [LTA79.1], [LTA79.3].

- Part 7 — Part 7 Disqualification, demerit points, licence suspension, and vehicle impoundment: see [LTA94.1], [LTA94A.1], [LTA95.1], [LTA95.5], [LTA96.1], [LTA96.5], [LTA99.1].
- Part 8 — Mitigation of penalties and rights of appeal: see [LTA102.1], [LTA103.3], [LTA104.1].
- Part 9 — Enforcement of responsibilities: see [LTA119.5], [LTA120.1], [LTA121.1].

Sentencing Principles and Practice

Commentary has been updated for the following paragraphs:

- Introductory note: see [SPPINTRO.4].
- Part A — Sentencing principles: see [SPPA.3.3], [SPPA.7.1], [SPPA.7.2], [SPPA.7.2A].
- Part C — Offences under the Land Transport Act 1998: see [SPPC.14B], [SPPC.14B.1], [SPPC.15.2], [SPPC.15.3], [SPPC.18], [SPPC.18.4], [SPPC.18.5], [SPPC.19], [SPPC.19.4].
- Part F — Sentencing Statistics: see [SPPF.1].
- Part G — Sentencing Tables: see Table 1.

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