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Motor Accidents (Lifetime Care and Support) Regulation 2006

under the

Motor Accidents (Lifetime Care and Support) Act 2006

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Motor Accidents (Lifetime Care and Support) Act 2006.*

JOHN DELLA BOSCA, M.L.C., Minister for Commerce

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to restrict the application of section 7 (1) of the *Motor Accidents (Lifetime Care and Support) Act 2006*, and consequently the scheme of lifetime care and support established by that Act, to victims of motor accidents who are under the age of 16 years at the time of their accidents.

This Regulation comprises or relates to matters set out in Schedule 3 to the *Subordinate Legislation Act 1989*, namely, matters that are not likely to impose an appreciable burden, cost or disadvantage on any sector of the public.

This Regulation is made under the *Motor Accidents (Lifetime Care and Support) Act 2006*, including section 63 (the general power to make regulations) and section 4 (Application of Act).

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the *Motor Accidents (Lifetime Care and Support) Regulation 2006.*

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on 1 October 2006.

3 Definitions

- (1) In this Regulation: *the Act* means the *Motor Accidents (Lifetime Care and Support) Act* 2006.
- (2) Notes included in this Regulation do not form part of this Regulation.

4 Application of section 7 (1) of the Act

Section 7 (1) of the Act applies only in relation to a person who was under the age of 16 years at the time of the motor accident injury referred to in that subsection.

Note. The effect of this clause is to restrict the application of the scheme of lifetime care and support established by the Act to victims of motor accidents who are under the age of 16 years at the time of their accidents.