



New South Wales

# Road Transport (Vehicle Registration) Amendment (Flashing Headlights) Regulation 2001

under the

Road Transport (Vehicle Registration) Act 1997

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Road Transport (Vehicle Registration) Act 1997*.

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Minister for Roads

## Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to amend the *Road Transport (Vehicle Registration) Regulation 1998* to allow emergency services vehicles to be fitted with headlights that are capable of flashing.

This Regulation is made under the *Road Transport (Vehicle Registration) Act 1997*, including section 14 (the general regulation-making power).

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## **1 Name of Regulation**

This Regulation is the *Road Transport (Vehicle Registration) Amendment (Flashing Headlights) Regulation 2001*.

## **2 Amendment of Road Transport (Vehicle Registration) Regulation 1998**

The *Road Transport (Vehicle Registration) Regulation 1998* is amended as set out in Schedule 1.

## **3 Notes**

The explanatory note does not form part of this Regulation.

## Schedule 1 Amendment

(Clause 2)

### Schedule 4 Vehicle standards

Insert after clause 85 (5):

- (6) Despite any requirement of the third edition ADR, an emergency services vehicle may be fitted with headlights or additional headlights that are capable of flashing if:
  - (a) the headlights flash only when on low beam, and
  - (b) the headlights are wired to operate in conjunction with any flashing or rotating lights fitted to the vehicle as permitted by clause 123 (4).
- (7) In this clause, an *emergency services vehicle* means any of the following:
  - (a) a police vehicle,
  - (b) an ambulance,
  - (c) a firefighting vehicle,
  - (d) a Red Cross vehicle used for conveyance of blood for urgent transfusions,
  - (e) a mines rescue or other rescue vehicle,
  - (f) another vehicle that is an emergency vehicle within the meaning of the *Australian Road Rules*.