

Radiation Control Amendment (Classification of Laboratories) Regulation 2013

under the

Radiation Control Act 1990

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Radiation Control Act 1990*.

ROBYN PARKER, MP Minister for the Environment

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to correct errors in the modifying factors that are relevant to determining the classification of laboratories where unsealed radioactive substances are kept or used. The error appears in the *Radiation Control Regulation 2013*, which commences on 1 July 2013.

This Regulation is made under the *Radiation Control Act 1990*, including section 40 (the general regulation-making power).

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the Radiation Control Amendment (Classification of Laboratories) Regulation 2013.

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on 1 July 2013 and is required to be published on the NSW legislation website.

Amendment of Radiation Control Regulation 2013

Schedule 1

Schedule 1 Amendment of Radiation Control Regulation 2013

Schedule 2 Classification of laboratories

Omit Table 1. Insert instead:

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Procedure	Factor
Simple storage	x0.01
Very simple wet operations (for example, using aliquots of stock solutions)	x0.1
Normal chemical operations (for example analysis of simple chemical preparations)	x1
Complex wet operations (for example multiple operations or operations with complex glass apparatus)	x10
Simple dry operations (for example manipulation of powders) and work with volatile radioactive compounds	x100
Complex dry operations (for example where powders are likely to become airborne) and work with radioactive gases	x1000