

Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Amendment (Disability Parking Demerit Points) Regulation 2014

under the

Road Transport Act 2013

His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Road Transport Act 2013*.

DUNCAN GAY, MLC Minister for Roads and Freight

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to amend the *Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Regulation 2008* to provide that drivers who unlawfully park in parking spaces for persons with disabilities (whether designated under the *Road Rules 2014* or the *Local Government Act 1993*) will incur one demerit point.

This Regulation is made under the *Road Transport Act 2013*, including sections 23 (the general statutory rule-making power) and 32.

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Amendment (Disability Parking Demerit Points) Regulation 2014.

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on 1 December 2014 and is required to be published on the NSW legislation website.

3 Amendment of Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Regulation 2008

(1) Schedule 2 Additional demerit point offences

Insert after the matter relating to the *Heavy Vehicle National Law (NSW)*:

Local Government Act 1993

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Provision creating offence	Description of offence	Standard demerit points	Long weekend demerit points
Section 650 (1)	Park in a free parking area otherwise than as permitted by a notice or sign designating a parking space in the area as a space for the sole use of persons with disabilities	1	1

(2) Schedule 2

Insert after the matter relating to rule 198 (2) (in school zone) of the *Road Rules* 2014:

Rule 203 (1) Stop in parking area for people with a 1 disability