

Companion Animals Amendment Regulation 2022

under the

Companion Animals Act 1998

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Companion Animals Act 1998*.

WENDY TUCKERMAN, MP Minister for Local Government

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to enable, consequent on the commencement of the *Public Spaces* (Unattended Property) Act 2021, the following persons to access the Register of Companion Animals as established by the Companion Animals Act 1998—

- (a) the Secretary of the Department of Planning and Environment, or a person authorised by the Secretary, to the extent required for the purposes of the administration or execution of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*,
- (b) an authorised officer within the meaning of the *Public Spaces (Unattended Property) Act 2021*, to the extent required for the purposes of exercising a function under that Act.

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the Companion Animals Amendment Regulation 2022.

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on 1 November 2022.

3 Amendment of Companion Animals Regulation 2018

Clause 30 Additional persons who may access Register

Omit clause 30(e) and (f). Insert instead—

- (e) the Secretary of the Department of Planning and Environment, or a person authorised by the Secretary, but only to the extent required for the purposes of the administration or execution of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*,
- (f) an authorised officer within the meaning of the *Public Spaces* (*Unattended Property*) *Act 2021*, but only to the extent required for the purposes of exercising a function under that Act,