



New South Wales

Roads Amendment (Neighbourhood Activity) Regulation 2023

under the

Roads Act 1993

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following regulation under the *Roads Act 1993*.

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Minister for Roads

Explanatory note

The object of this regulation is to amend the *Roads Regulation 2018* to provide that, for the *Roads Act 1993*, an activity is a road event if—

- (a) the activity is—
 - (i) a non-commercial event, including a local gathering or social activity, for which traffic may be regulated by temporary road closure, and
 - (ii) on an unclassified road, and
 - (iii) not an ineligible event, and
- (b) the residential address of the applicant for the road event permit is on or near the road on which the road event will be conducted.

This regulation is made under the *Roads Act 1993*, including section 264, the general regulation-making power, and the dictionary, definition of ***road event***.

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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Roads Amendment (Neighbourhood Activity) Regulation 2023*.

2 Commencement

This regulation commences on the day on which it is published on the NSW legislation website.

Schedule 1 Amendment of Roads Regulation 2018

[1] Clause 79 Road events

Omit clause 79(1)(b). Insert instead—

- (b) an activity if—
 - (i) the activity is a neighbourhood activity, and
 - (ii) the residential address of the applicant for the road event permit is on or near the road on which the road event will be conducted.

[2] Clause 79(2), definition of “neighbourhood activity”

Omit the definition. Insert in alphabetical order—

ineligible event means an event that—

- (a) occurs on a road on which bus services or light rail services operate, or
- (b) results in restricted access to a railway station or a light rail station, or
- (c) occurs within 60m of traffic lights on a road controlled by those lights, or
- (d) is subject to authorisation under the *Summary Offences Act 1988*, Part 4.

neighbourhood activity means a non-commercial event, including a local gathering or social activity, for which traffic may be regulated by temporary road closure and that is—

- (a) on an unclassified road, and
- (b) not an ineligible event.