

Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Regulation 2024

under the

Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Act 1982

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following regulation under the *Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Act 1982*.

ANOULACK CHANTHIVONG, MP Minister for Corrections

Explanatory note

The object of this regulation is to repeal and remake, with minor changes, the *Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Regulation 2019*, which would otherwise be repealed on 1 September 2024 by the *Subordinate Legislation Act 1989*, section 10(2).

This regulation prescribes the following-

- (a) the officers who may certify that a consent to or request for the transfer of a prisoner has been given or made,
- (b) the way in which certain orders and documents must be certified,
- (c) the persons who may make an application for the revocation of an order of transfer.

This regulation comprises or relates to matters set out in the Subordinate Legislation Act 1989, Schedule 3, namely—

- (a) matters of a machinery nature, and
- (b) matters arising under legislation that is substantially uniform or complementary with legislation of the Commonwealth or another State or Territory.

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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Regulation 2024.

2 Commencement

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

Note— This regulation repeals and replaces the *Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Regulation 2019*, which would otherwise be repealed on 1 September 2024 by the *Subordinate Legislation Act 1989*, section 10(2).

3 Definitions

In this regulation—

Commissioner has the same meaning as in the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999.*

Department means the department in which the Act is administered.

the Act means the *Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Act 1982.* **Note—** The Act and the *Interpretation Act 1987* contain definitions and other provisions that affect the interpretation and application of this regulation.

4 Consent to transfer prisoner to participating State—the Act, s 13

For the Act, section 13(2), the following are prescribed officers—

- (a) the Secretary of the Department,
- (b) the General Counsel of the Department.

5 Certification of documents—the Act, s 26

- (1) For the Act, section 26(2), a copy is certified if the copy includes the following—
 - (a) a statement by the Commissioner, or an officer of Corrective Services NSW authorised by the Commissioner to certify the copy, that the copy is a true and accurate copy of the original order or document,
 - (b) the name and position of the person certifying the copy,
 - (c) the person's signature.
- (2) In this section—

Corrective Services NSW has the same meaning as in the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999.*

6 Application for revocation of order of transfer—the Act, s 34

The following offices and positions are prescribed-

(a) the Attorney General,

- (b) the Minister,
- (c) the Commissioner,
- (d) the Director of Public Prosecutions.

7 Repeal and savings

- (1) The Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Regulation 2019 is repealed.
- (2) An act, matter or thing that, immediately before the repeal of the *Prisoners* (*Interstate Transfer*) *Regulation 2019*, had effect under that regulation continues to have effect under this regulation.