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## Passenger Transport (Opal and Other Fares) Order 2016



#### 1 Name of Order

This Order is the Passenger Transport (Opal and Other Fares) Order 2016.

#### 2 Commencement

This Order commences on 5 September 2016 and is required to be published in the Gazette.

#### 3 Definitions

(1) In this Order:

**light rail service** means a public passenger service provided by means of a light rail vehicle.

**Opal single trip ticket** means a ticket issued by TfNSW as an Opal single trip ticket.

**Opal smartcard** means a smartcard issued by TfNSW as an Opal smartcard.

the Act means the Passenger Transport Act 2014.

#### Note-

The Act and the *Interpretation Act 1987* contain definitions and other provisions that affect the interpretation and application of this Order.

(2) Notes included in this Order do not form part of this Order.

### 4 Maximum fares

- (1) The fares in respect of rail passenger services supplied in accordance with an Opal smartcard or Opal single trip ticket are set out in Part 1 of Schedule 1.
- (2) The fares in respect of light rail services supplied in accordance with an Opal smartcard or Opal single trip ticket are set out in Part 2 of Schedule 1.
- (3) The fares in respect of bus services supplied in accordance with an Opal smartcard or

- Opal single trip ticket are set out in Part 3 of Schedule 1.
- (4) The fares in respect of ferry services supplied in accordance with an Opal smartcard or Opal single trip ticket are set out in Part 4 of Schedule 1.
- (4A) The Opal smartcard fares set out in Parts 1–4 of Schedule 1 are subject to the fare caps set out in Part 5 of that Schedule. The fare caps do not apply to Opal single trip ticket fares.
- (5) The fares in respect of bus services supplied in accordance with any of the tickets or the pass referred to in Schedule 2 are set out in that Schedule.
- (6) The unit-based fares in respect of booked rail passenger services supplied by NSW Trains in accordance with any of the tickets referred to in Part 1 of Schedule 3 are set out in that Part of that Schedule.
- (7) Certain other fares in respect of booked rail passenger services supplied by NSW Trains are set out in Part 2 of Schedule 3.
- (8) Any concession fare set out in Schedule 1 or 3 is available only:
  - (a) to persons of or above the age of 4 years but under the age of 16 years, and
  - (b) to the eligible holders of concessional travel passes issued under:
    - (i) section 88 of the Transport Administration Act 1988, or
    - (ii) any scheme approved by the Minister under clause 8 of Schedule 1 to that Act.
- (10) The fares provided for in this Order are maximum fares.

## Schedule 1 Opal fares

(Clause 4 (1)-(4A) and (8))

## Part 1 Opal fares for rail passenger services

#### Peak and off-peak fares

| Opal smartcard        | Peak full fare | Off-peak full<br>fare | Peak<br>concession<br>fare | Off-peak concession fare |
|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Train—distance band 1 | \$3.46         | \$2.42                | \$1.73                     | \$1.21                   |
| Train—distance band 2 | \$4.30         | \$3.01                | \$2.15                     | \$1.50                   |
| Train—distance band 3 | \$4.94         | \$3.45                | \$2.47                     | \$1.72                   |
| Train—distance band 4 | \$6.61         | \$4.62                | \$3.30                     | \$2.31                   |
| Train—distance band 5 | \$8.50         | \$5.95                | \$4.25                     | \$2.97                   |

| Maximum default fare for | <b>#0.50</b> | <b>4</b> F 0F | ±4.25  | ±2.07  |
|--------------------------|--------------|---------------|--------|--------|
| failure to tap on or off | \$8.50       | \$5.95        | \$4.25 | \$2.97 |

#### Note-

The fares include travel on rail replacement bus services, including in Newcastle.

| Opal single trip ticket | Full fare | Child/youth fare |
|-------------------------|-----------|------------------|
| Train—distance band 1   | \$4.20    | \$2.10           |
| Train—distance band 2   | \$5.20    | \$2.60           |
| Train—distance band 3   | \$6.00    | \$3.00           |
| Train—distance band 4   | \$8.00    | \$4.00           |
| Train—distance band 5   | \$10.20   | \$5.10           |

#### Note-

The fares include travel on rail replacement bus services, including in Newcastle.

## Part 2 Opal fares for light rail services

| Opal smartcard                                    | Full fare | Concession fare |
|---|-----------|-----------------|
| Light rail—distance band 1                        | \$2.15    | \$1.07          |
| Light rail—distance band 2                        | \$3.58    | \$1.79          |
| Light rail—distance band 3                        | \$4.61    | \$2.30          |
| Maximum default fare for failure to tap on or off | \$4.61    | \$2.30          |
| Note-   |           |                 |

The fares include travel on light rail replacement buses.

| Opal single trip ticket    | Full fare | Child/youth fare |
|----------------------------|-----------|------------------|
| Light rail—distance band 1 | \$2.60    | \$1.30           |
| Light rail—distance band 2 | \$4.30    | \$2.10           |
| Light rail—distance band 3 | \$5.60    | \$2.80           |
| Note-                      |           |                  |

The fares include travel on light rail replacement buses.

## Part 3 Opal fares for bus services

| Opal smartcard      | Full fare | Concession fare |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Bus—distance band 1 | \$2.15    | \$1.07          |
| Bus—distance band 2 | \$3.58    | \$1.79          |
| Bus—distance band 3 | \$4.61    | \$2.30          |

| Maximum default fare for failure to tap on or off | \$4.61    | \$2.30           |
|---|-----------|------------------|
| Opal single trip ticket                           | Full fare | Child/youth fare |
| Bus—distance band 1                               | \$2.60    | \$1.30           |
| Bus—distance band 2                               | \$4.30    | \$2.10           |
| Bus—distance band 3                               | \$5.60    | \$2.80           |

## Part 4 Opal fares for ferry services

| Opal smartcard                                    | Full fare | Concession fare |
|---|-----------|-----------------|
| Ferry—distance band 1                             | \$5.88    | \$2.94          |
| Ferry—distance band 2                             | \$7.35    | \$3.67          |
| Maximum default fare for failure to tap on or off | \$7.35    | \$3.67          |
| Stockton Ferry                                    | \$2.15    | \$1.07          |
| Note-   |           |                 |

The fares include travel on ferry replacement buses.

| Opal single trip ticket | Full fare | Child/youth fare |
|-------------------------|-----------|------------------|
| Ferry—distance band 1   | \$7.10    | \$3.50           |
| Ferry—distance band 2   | \$8.90    | \$4.40           |
| Stockton Ferry          | \$2.60    | \$1.30           |
| Note-                   |           |                  |

The fares include travel on ferry replacement buses.

## Part 5 Fare caps (for Opal smartcard fares in Parts 1-4)

| Type of fare cap                    | Amount of full fare cap | Amount of concession fare cap | Amount of Senior/<br>Pensioner cap |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Daily fare cap (Monday to Saturday) | \$15.40                 | \$7.70                        | \$2.50                             |
| Daily fare cap (Sunday)             | \$2.60                  | \$2.60                        | \$2.50                             |
| Weekly fare cap                     | \$61.60                 | \$30.80                       | Not applicable                     |

## Schedule 2 Special services fares and school term bus pass

(Clause 4 (5))

Full fare Concession

| Special (Sporting) Services  |         |        |
|--|---------|--------|
| Moore Park Sportsground Special (single)   | \$3.50  | \$1.70 |
| Moore Park Sportsground Special (return)   | \$6.00  | \$3.00 |
| Special (Racecourse) Service   |         |        |
| Royal Randwick Racecourse (single)   | \$3.50  | \$1.70 |
| Royal Randwick Racecourse (return)   | \$6.00  | \$3.00 |
| Special (New Year's Eve) Service   |         |        |
| Unlimited travel on regular bus services between 3 pm on 31 December and midday on 1 January (the following day) | \$6.00  | \$3.00 |
| School term bus pass   |         |        |
| School term bus pass (per term)  Note—   | \$53.00 | _      |

These special services fares are covered by paper based tickets. An Opal smartcard may also be used on these special services.

## **Schedule 3 Fares for NSW Trains booked services**

(Clause 4 (6)-(8))

Part 1 Unit-based fares for NSW Trains booked services

|                              | Adult fare        |                   |                 | Adult concession  |                   |                 |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Charging units not exceeding | F class<br>single | Y class<br>single | Change of class | F class<br>single | Y class<br>single | Change of class |
| 46                           | \$8.07            | \$6.92            | \$1.15          | \$4.04            | \$3.46            | \$0.58          |
| 56                           | \$13.84           | \$9.22            | \$4.62          | \$6.92            | \$4.61            | \$2.31          |
| 66                           | \$16.14           | \$11.53           | \$4.61          | \$8.07            | \$5.77            | \$2.30          |
| 75                           | \$18.45           | \$13.84           | \$4.61          | \$9.23            | \$6.92            | \$2.31          |
| 84                           | \$19.60           | \$14.98           | \$4.62          | \$9.80            | \$7.49            | \$2.31          |
| 99                           | \$24.21           | \$16.14           | \$8.07          | \$12.11           | \$8.07            | \$4.04          |
| 109                          | \$27.67           | \$18.45           | \$9.22          | \$13.84           | \$9.23            | \$4.61          |
| 119                          | \$29.98           | \$19.60           | \$10.38         | \$14.99           | \$9.80            | \$5.19          |
| 129                          | \$31.13           | \$21.90           | \$9.23          | \$15.57           | \$10.95           | \$4.62          |
| 149                          | \$35.74           | \$26.51           | \$9.23          | \$17.87           | \$13.26           | \$4.61          |
| 169                          | \$40.35           | \$29.98           | \$10.37         | \$20.18           | \$14.99           | \$5.19          |
|                              |                   |                   |                 |                   |                   |                 |

| 189  | \$46.11  | \$33.43  | \$12.68 | \$23.06  | \$16.72  | \$6.34  |
|------|----------|----------|---------|----------|----------|---------|
| 209  | \$50.72  | \$35.74  | \$14.98 | \$25.36  | \$17.87  | \$7.49  |
| 229  | \$53.03  | \$40.35  | \$12.68 | \$26.52  | \$20.18  | \$6.34  |
| 249  | \$61.09  | \$44.96  | \$16.13 | \$30.55  | \$22.48  | \$8.07  |
| 269  | \$66.86  | \$47.27  | \$19.59 | \$33.43  | \$23.64  | \$9.79  |
| 289  | \$72.62  | \$49.57  | \$23.05 | \$36.31  | \$24.79  | \$11.52 |
| 309  | \$74.93  | \$53.03  | \$21.90 | \$37.47  | \$26.52  | \$10.95 |
| 329  | \$79.54  | \$56.49  | \$23.05 | \$39.77  | \$28.25  | \$11.52 |
| 349  | \$84.15  | \$61.09  | \$23.06 | \$42.08  | \$30.55  | \$11.53 |
| 374  | \$89.91  | \$66.86  | \$23.05 | \$44.96  | \$33.43  | \$11.53 |
| 399  | \$96.83  | \$71.48  | \$25.35 | \$48.42  | \$35.74  | \$12.68 |
| 424  | \$103.75 | \$74.93  | \$28.82 | \$51.88  | \$37.47  | \$14.41 |
| 449  | \$108.36 | \$78.39  | \$29.97 | \$54.18  | \$39.20  | \$14.98 |
| 499  | \$119.89 | \$84.15  | \$35.74 | \$59.95  | \$42.08  | \$17.87 |
| 549  | \$125.65 | \$88.77  | \$36.88 | \$62.83  | \$44.39  | \$18.44 |
| 599  | \$131.42 | \$94.53  | \$36.89 | \$65.71  | \$47.27  | \$18.44 |
| 699  | \$141.79 | \$102.60 | \$39.19 | \$70.90  | \$51.30  | \$19.60 |
| 799  | \$151.02 | \$107.21 | \$43.81 | \$75.51  | \$53.61  | \$21.90 |
| 899  | \$161.39 | \$115.28 | \$46.11 | \$80.70  | \$57.64  | \$23.06 |
| 999  | \$170.61 | \$124.50 | \$46.11 | \$85.31  | \$62.25  | \$23.06 |
| 1099 | \$183.29 | \$130.26 | \$53.03 | \$91.65  | \$65.13  | \$26.52 |
| 1199 | \$192.52 | \$138.34 | \$54.18 | \$96.26  | \$69.17  | \$27.09 |
| 1299 | \$204.05 | \$146.41 | \$57.64 | \$102.03 | \$73.21  | \$28.82 |
| 1399 | \$215.58 | \$153.32 | \$62.26 | \$107.79 | \$76.66  | \$31.13 |
| 1499 | \$227.11 | \$161.39 | \$65.72 | \$113.56 | \$80.70  | \$32.86 |
| 1599 | \$235.17 | \$166.00 | \$69.17 | \$117.59 | \$83.00  | \$34.59 |
| 1699 | \$249.01 | \$175.23 | \$73.78 | \$124.51 | \$87.62  | \$36.89 |
| 1799 | \$258.23 | \$185.60 | \$72.63 | \$129.12 | \$92.80  | \$36.32 |
| 1899 | \$267.45 | \$190.21 | \$77.24 | \$133.73 | \$95.11  | \$38.62 |
| 1999 | \$278.98 | \$201.74 | \$77.24 | \$139.49 | \$100.87 | \$38.62 |
| 2099 | \$291.65 | \$210.96 | \$80.69 | \$145.83 | \$105.48 | \$40.35 |

| 2199 | \$304.34 | \$220.19 | \$84.15 | \$152.17 | \$110.10 | \$42.07 |
|------|----------|----------|---------|----------|----------|---------|
| 2299 | \$312.41 | \$231.72 | \$80.69 | \$156.21 | \$115.86 | \$40.35 |
| 2399 | \$323.94 | \$238.63 | \$85.31 | \$161.97 | \$119.32 | \$42.65 |
| 2499 | \$337.77 | \$250.16 | \$87.61 | \$168.89 | \$125.08 | \$43.81 |
| 2599 | \$347.00 | \$261.69 | \$85.31 | \$173.50 | \$130.85 | \$42.65 |

Note-

Charging units are a measure of distance from Sydney (Central Station) to various NSW Trains locations. However, as different locations are serviced by different routes, charging units are not calculated on a uniform per kilometre basis.

## Part 2 Other fares for NSW Trains booked services

| Туре   | Amount   |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| Country Pensioner Excursion ticket                     | \$2.50   |  |  |  |
| \$1 Child fare   | \$1.00   |  |  |  |
| Booking fee  | \$10.00 or 15% of applicable maximum adult fare whichever amount is higher |  |  |  |
| Queensland pensioner travel voucher administration fee | \$12.50  |  |  |  |
| Berth fee  | \$88.00  |  |  |  |
| Bicycles, surfboards, snow boards and snow skis fee    | \$12.10  |  |  |  |
| Booking cancellation fee                               | \$5.50   |  |  |  |
| Substitute ticket fee                                  | \$12.10  |  |  |  |
| Unclaimed luggage fee                                  | \$4.50 for each day after the first day                                    |  |  |  |
| Storage/cloaking fee                                   | \$4.40 per item  |  |  |  |
| Non-booked ticket conversion fee—Single                | \$6.60   |  |  |  |
| Non-booked ticket conversion fee—Return                | \$13.20  |  |  |  |