



New South Wales

Lotteries and Art Unions Amendment (Raffles in Registered Clubs) Regulation 1998

under the

Lotteries and Art Unions Act 1901

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Lotteries and Art Unions Act 1901*.

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Minister for Gaming and Racing

Explanatory note

The objects of this Regulation are:

- (a) to provide that the prescribed fee that must accompany an application for a permit for a lottery or game of chance conducted for the promotion of trade is to be \$2,000 if the total prize value of the proposed lottery or game of chance exceeds \$200,000, and
- (b) to exclude certain promotional raffles conducted by registered clubs from the definition of **Lottery** in section 4 of the *Lotteries and Art Unions Act 1901* (Certain charitable and non-profit organisations authorised to conduct lotteries subject to conditions), so as to allow such raffles to be conducted under the less restrictive provisions of section 4C of that Act (Games of chance in registered clubs), and
- (c) to increase the maximum value of prizes that may be given in a game of chance (including a raffle referred to above) conducted by a registered club pursuant to section 4C of the Act, from \$30 to \$300.

This Regulation is made under the *Lotteries and Art Unions Act 1901*, including sections 4 (1), 4B (4), 4C (3) (b) and 23 (the general regulation-making power, in particular section 23 (1) (f)).

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the *Lotteries and Art Unions Amendment (Raffles in Registered Clubs) Regulation 1998*.

2 Amendment of Lotteries and Art Unions Regulation 1997

The *Lotteries and Art Unions Regulation 1997* is amended as set out in Schedule 1.

3 Notes

The explanatory note does not form part of this Regulation.

Schedule 1 Amendments

(Clause 2)

[1] Clause 102 Application fee

Omit clause 102 (d). Insert instead:

- (d) \$1,000, if the total prize value of the proposed lottery or game of chance exceeds \$100,000 but does not exceed \$200,000, or
- (e) \$2,000, if the total prize value of the proposed lottery or game of chance exceeds \$200,000.

[2] Clause 103A

Insert after clause 103:

103A Promotional raffles conducted by registered clubs not lotteries

- (1) For the purposes of the definition of *Lottery* in section 4 of the Act, a not-for-profit promotional raffle conducted on the premises of a registered club is prescribed as a game or method of disposing of prizes that is not a lottery within the meaning of that section.
- (2) In this clause, *not-for-profit promotional raffle* means a raffle conducted by a registered club:
 - (a) for the purpose of attracting patronage to the club's facilities. and
 - (b) the profits of which are wholly or substantially used to meet the cost of prizes in such raffles.

[3] Clause 104 Maximum value of prizes

Omit "\$30" Insert instead "\$300".