



Attorney-General's Legislation Amendment (Updated References) Regulation 2015

Select Legislative Instrument No. 113, 2015

I, General the Honourable Sir Peter Cosgrove AK MC (Ret'd),
Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the
advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following regulation.

Dated 09 July 2015

Peter Cosgrove
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

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1 Name

This is the *Attorney-General's Legislation Amendment (Updated References) Regulation 2015*.

2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. The whole of this instrument	The day after this instrument is registered.	11 July 2015

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under the following Acts:

- (a) the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901*;
- (b) the *Family Law Act 1975*.

4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

Schedule 1—Amendments

Acts Interpretation (Registered Relationships) Regulations 2008

1 Paragraph 3(c)

Repeal the paragraph, substitute:

- (c) *Civil Unions Act 2012* (ACT)—a civil union as described in subsection 6(1) of that Act;
- (ca) *Domestic Relationships Act 1994* (ACT)—a relationship as a couple between 2 adult persons who meet the eligibility criteria for entering into a civil partnership mentioned in section 37C of that Act;

Family Law Regulations 1984

2 Regulation 3 (after the heading)

Insert:

- Note: A number of expressions used in these Regulations are defined in the Act, including the following:
- (a) applicable Rules of Court;
 - (b) standard Rules of Court.

3 Subregulation 3(1) (note)

Repeal the note.

4 Regulation 12BC (table item 4)

Repeal the item, substitute:

4	<i>Civil Unions Act 2012</i> (ACT)	A civil union as described in subsection 6(1) of that Act
5	Part 4A of the <i>Domestic Relationships Act 1994</i> (ACT)	A relationship as a couple between 2 adult persons who meet the eligibility criteria for entering into a civil partnership mentioned in section 37C of that Act

5 Regulation 12CAA (at the end of the table)

Add:

- 7 *Surrogacy Act 2012* (TAS), section 16

6 Regulation 15AB (table item 4)

Repeal the item, substitute:

4 *Civil Unions Act 2012 (ACT)*

5 Part 4A of the *Domestic Relationships Act 1994 (ACT)*

Family Law (Superannuation) Regulations 2001

7 Paragraph 9A(1)(e)

Omit “regulation 49 of the *Retirement Benefits (Parliamentary Superannuation) Regulations 2002*”, substitute “regulation 50 of the *Retirement Benefits (Parliamentary Superannuation) Regulations 2012*”.