

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

TRADE MEASUREMENT (MISCELLANEOUS) REGULATIONS 1993

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REGULATIONS UNDER THE TRADE MEASUREMENT ACT 1993

Trade Measurement (Miscellaneous) Regulations 1993

being

No. 214 of 1993: *Gaz.* 30 September 1993, p. 1387¹

as varied by

No. 259 of 1996: *Gaz.* 23 December 1996, p. 2262²

¹ Came into operation 1 October 1993: reg. 1(2).

² Came into operation 3 February 1997: reg. 2.

Citation and commencement

1. (1) These regulations may be cited as the *Trade Measurement (Miscellaneous) Regulations 1993*.

(2) These regulations will come into operation on 1 October 1993.

Definition of "the Act"

2. In these regulations—

"the Act" means the *Trade Measurement Act 1993*.

Beer, spirits to be sold by volume

3. (1) Beer, stout, ale, brandy (including cognac and armagnac), gin, rum, vodka and whisky (whiskey) are prescribed as articles to which section 26 of the Act applies.

(2) Pursuant to that section, a sale of a quantity of such an article is required to be at a price determined by reference to the volume of the quantity.

Offer, etc., for sale by reference to measurement

4. (1) This regulation does not apply to—

- (a) pre-packed articles; or
- (b) the articles described in regulation 3; or
- (c) diamonds or other precious stones.

(2) A person who advertises, offers or exposes an article for sale at a price determined by reference to measurement (being mass, volume, linear measurement or superficial measurement) is guilty of an offence unless the measurement is—

- (a) in the case of mass—
 - (i) 1 kilogram; or
 - (ii) 1 kilogram, with another reference to an integral number of kilograms; or
 - (iii) an integral number of tonnes; or
 - (iv) if the article is a precious metal—1 gram or 1 troy ounce; or
- (b) in the case of volume—
 - (i) 1 litre; or
 - (ii) 1 litre, with another reference to an integral number of litres; or
 - (iii) an integral number of cubic metres; or

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(c) in the case of linear measurement—

(i) 1 centimetre; or

(ii) 1 metre; or

(iii) 1 metre, with another reference to an integral number of metres; or

(d) in the case of superficial measurement—

(i) 1 square centimetre; or

(ii) 1 square metre; or

(iii) 1 square metre, with another reference to an integral number of square metres,

or is a measurement authorised by subregulation (3).

Penalty: \$2 000

Expiation fee: \$104.

(3) The length, width, thickness, diameter or other linear measurement of an article specified in the Table to this regulation may be advertised, offered or exposed for sale by the millimetre, centimetre or metre.

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TABLE

Carpets	Plywood
Ceramic tiles	Resin laminates
Chain	Rope
Cord	Rubber material
Cordage	Rubber mouldings
Electrical cable	Sheet glass
Electrical flex	Textiles
Fabrics	Textile products (other than ready-made clothing)
Floor coverings	Timber
Hardboard	Veneers
Particle board	Wire netting
Plastic mouldings	

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APPENDIX

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Transitional Provisions

(Transitional provision from Regulation No. 259 of 1996, reg. 4)

4. A regulation varied or revoked by these regulations will continue to apply (as in force immediately prior to the variation or revocation coming into operation) to an expiation notice issued under the varied or revoked regulations.

Legislative History

Regulation 4(2): varied by 259, 1996, reg. 3 (Sched. cl. 29)