

South Australia

# Voluntary Assisted Dying Regulations 2022

under the *Voluntary Assisted Dying Act 2021*

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## Schedule 1—Repeal of *Voluntary Assisted Dying Regulations 2021*

## Legislative history

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### 1—Short title

These regulations may be cited as the *Voluntary Assisted Dying Regulations 2022*.

### 2—Commencement

These regulations come into operation on the day on which section 130 of the *Voluntary Assisted Dying Act 2021* comes into operation.

### 3—Interpretation

In these regulations, unless the contrary intention appears—  
*Act* means the *Voluntary Assisted Dying Act 2021*.

#### **4—Prescribed form—consulting assessment report form**

For the purposes of the definition of *consulting assessment report form* in section 3 of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

#### **5—Prescribed form—contact person appointment form**

For the purposes of the definition of *contact person appointment form* in section 3 of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

#### **6—Prescribed form—coordinating medical practitioner administration form**

For the purposes of the definition of *coordinating medical practitioner administration form* in section 3 of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

#### **7—Prescribed form—final review form**

For the purposes of the definition of *final review form* in section 3 of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

#### **8—Prescribed form—first assessment report form**

For the purposes of the definition of *first assessment report form* in section 3 of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

#### **9—Prescribed form—voluntary assisted dying substance dispensing form**

For the purposes of the definition of *voluntary assisted dying substance dispensing form* in section 3 of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

#### **10—Prescribed form—voluntary assisted dying substance disposal form**

For the purposes of the definition of *voluntary assisted dying substance disposal form* in section 3 of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

#### **11—Prescribed form—written declaration**

For the purposes of the definition of *written declaration* in section 3 of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

#### **12—Interpreters**

For the purposes of section 7(a) of the Act, the following bodies are prescribed:

- (a) the National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters Limited;
- (b) any other body from time to time specified by the Minister by notice in the Gazette.

### **13—Exemptions—Interpreters**

- (1) Pursuant to section 130(2)(a) of the Act, the Chief Executive may, by notice in writing and on an application made in a manner and form determined by the Chief Executive, grant an exemption to a person from the operation of section 7(a) of the Act.
- (2) An exemption under subregulation (1) may be conditional or unconditional.
- (3) Pursuant to section 130(2)(a) of the Act, a speech pathologist who assists a person in relation to requesting access to or accessing voluntary assisted dying is exempt from the operation of section 7(b)(iv) of the Act.

### **14—Prescribed form—application for self administration permit**

For the purposes of section 65(2)(a) of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

### **15—Prescribed form—application for practitioner administration permit**

For the purposes of section 66(2)(a) of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

### **16—Prescribed period for determination of application**

For the purposes of section 67(1) of the Act, the prescribed period is 3 business days.

### **17—Prescribed form—voluntary assisted dying permit**

For the purposes of section 67(5) of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

### **18—Prescribed secure storage specifications for voluntary assisted dying substance**

For the purposes of sections 75(b), 76(c) and 78 of the Act, the prescribed specifications are as follows:

- (a) the locked box must be constructed of steel;
- (b) the locked box must not be easily penetrable;
- (c) the lock on the locked box must be of sturdy construction.

### **19—Prescribed form—labeling requirements for voluntary assisted dying substance**

For the purposes of section 76(2) of the Act, the prescribed form is the form determined by the Minister and published in the Gazette from time to time.

### **20—Applicants for review of decisions by Tribunal**

For the purposes of section 85(2)(b) of the Act, the following persons and classes of person are prescribed:

- (a) a family member of the person to whom the decision relates;
- (b) any other person who the Tribunal is satisfied has a sufficient interest in the matter.

## **Schedule 1—Repeal of *Voluntary Assisted Dying Regulations 2021***

The *Voluntary Assisted Dying Regulations 2021* are repealed.

## Legislative history

### Notes

- For further information relating to the Act and subordinate legislation made under the Act see the Index of South Australian Statutes or [www.legislation.sa.gov.au](http://www.legislation.sa.gov.au).

### Principal regulations

Year	No	Reference	Commencement
2022	87	<i>Gazette 29.9.2022 p6270</i>	29.9.2022: r 2