



Building Newsflash

BUDGET ACCOMMODATION BUILDINGS

Purpose

To advise of changes to the *State Penalties Enforcement Regulation 2000*.

Background

Newsflash 191 advised that the Department proposed to give councils the ability to issue fines for failing to comply with Enforcement Notices issued against owners of budget accommodation buildings for breaching the *Fire Safety Standard*.

Legislation

The *State Penalties Enforcement Regulation 2000* has now been amended to allow councils to issue the fines in the amount of \$375 for individuals and \$1875 for corporations. The changes commenced on 14 October 2005.

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