

“Occupational Health and Safety Regulations 2001”

Clause 3 of Chapter 1 – Preliminary

- (2) The following levels of penalty apply for the purposes of determining the maximum penalty for an offence against a provision of this Regulation, and references in this Regulation to those levels are to be construed accordingly:
- (a) Level 1 - 20 penalty points
 - (b) Level 2 - 30 penalty points
 - (c) Level 3 - 100 penalty points
 - (d) Level 4 - 250 penalty points.

Note. At the time of making this Regulation, each penalty point was \$110 - see section 17 of the Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999

Clause 33 of chap 4 - Definitions (and application of certain provisions)

- (1) In this Chapter:

Controller of premises means a person who has control of premises used by people as a place of work, including;

- (a) a person who has only limited control of the premises, and
- (b) a person who has, under any contract or lease, an obligation to maintain or repair the premises

Electrical article means any wire, cable, appliance, fitting, meter, insulator, apparatus equipment or material intended or designed for use in, or for the purposes of, or for connection to, any electrical installation.

Clause 41 of Division 3 Electricity - particular risk control measures

- (1) A controller of premises must ensure that:
- (a) any electrical installation at the premises:
 - (i) is safe at the time it is made available for use by an employee, or
 - (ii) if not safe, is disconnected from the electricity supply.....

Maximum penalty: Level 4

Clause 64 of Division 8 Electricity - particular risk control measures

- (2) An employer must ensure that:
- (a) All electrical installation, electrical articles and associated equipment at a place of work are safe to use and are regularly inspected, tested and maintained to ensure they remain safe for use and are repaired or replaced if unsafe,...

Maximum penalty: Level 4

Clause 65 of Division 8 Maintenance of records – Electricity

- (1) An employer must ensure that a record is made and kept of all inspections and tests made and maintenance carried out on electrical articles and electrical installations required by this part.

Maximum penalty: Level 2

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