



Queensland

# Plumbing and Drainage Legislation Amendment Regulation (No. 2) 2009

## Subordinate Legislation 2009 No. 192

made under the

*Plumbing and Drainage Act 2002*

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## **Part 1                      Preliminary**

### **1              Short title**

This regulation may be cited as the *Plumbing and Drainage Legislation Amendment Regulation (No. 2) 2009*.

## **Part 2                      Amendment of Plumbing and Drainage Regulation 2003**

### **2              Regulation amended**

This part amends the *Plumbing and Drainage Regulation 2003*.

### **3              Amendment of s 7 (Endorsements on licences)**

Section 7(1), ‘plumbers licences or drainers licences’—  
*omit, insert*—

‘plumbers licences, drainers licences, provisional plumbers licences or provisional drainers licences’.

### **4              Amendment of s 8 (Duration of endorsement)**

Section 8, ‘plumbers licence or drainers licence’—  
*omit, insert*—

‘plumbers licence, drainers licence, provisional plumbers licence or provisional drainers licence’.

### **5              Amendment of s 10 (Fees)**

Section 10, heading—

*omit, insert—*

**'10 Fees payable to board'.**

**6 Insertion of new s 11 and pt 4**

After section 10—

*insert—*

**'11 Fee to accompany notice to local government of particular minor work**

- ‘(1) This section applies if—
  - (a) a person who is not a relevant entity gives a local government a notice of minor work under section 87(2) of the Act; and
  - (b) the minor work involves replacing a water heater with a solar or heat pump hot water system.
- ‘(2) The notice must be accompanied by a fee of \$25.
- ‘(3) However, subsection (2) does not apply if the local government has decided by resolution that no fee is required to accompany a notice given by a person who is not a relevant entity for minor work mentioned in subsection (1)(b).’.

**'Part 4**

**Transitional provision for  
Plumbing and Drainage  
Legislation Amendment  
Regulation (No. 2) 2009**

**'12 Solar and heat pump hot water system installation endorsement**

- ‘(1) This section applies if—
  - (a) a person does not have an endorsement for solar and heat pump hot water system installation on the person’s plumbers licence or provisional plumbers licence; and

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- (b) other than for this section, the person would require the endorsement on the person's licence to carry out particular plumbing work.
- '(2) Despite section 7 and schedule 3, item 6, the person may carry out the plumbing work, if the person carries out the work before 31 December 2010.
- '(3) Despite the Standard Plumbing and Drainage Regulation, schedule 2, plumbing work carried out under subsection (2) is taken not to be minor work.'

**7 Amendment of sch 3 (Qualifications, practical experience and scope of work for endorsements)**

- (1) Schedule 3, item 1, column 1, 'plumbers licence'—  
*omit, insert*—  
'plumbers licence or provisional plumbers licence'.
- (2) Schedule 3, item 1, column 2, 'if the licence'—  
*omit, insert*—  
'if the plumbers licence or provisional plumbers licence'.
- (3) Schedule 3, item 2, column 1, 'plumbers licence'—  
*omit, insert*—  
'plumbers licence or provisional plumbers licence'.
- (4) Schedule 3, item 3, column 1, 'drainers licence'—  
*omit, insert*—  
'drainers licence or provisional drainers licence'.
- (5) Schedule 3, item 4, column 1, 'plumbers licence'—  
*omit, insert*—  
'plumbers licence or provisional plumbers licence'.
- (6) Schedule 3, item 5, column 1, 'plumbers licence'—  
*omit, insert*—  
'plumbers licence or provisional plumbers licence'.

(7) Schedule 3—

*insert—*

‘6 Solar and heat pump hot water system installation (endorsement on a plumbers licence or provisional plumbers licence)	successful completion of a course approved by the board	no prescribed practical experience	install, replace, test, repair and maintain solar and heat pump hot water systems’.
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## Part 3

## Amendment of Standard Plumbing and Drainage Regulation 2003

### 8 Regulation amended

This part amends the *Standard Plumbing and Drainage Regulation 2003*.

### 9 Amendment of sch 2 (Minor work)

(1) Schedule 2, part 1, after fourth dot point—

*insert—*

- work necessary for replacing a water heater with a solar or heat pump hot water system in a building classified under BCA as a class 1, 2, 3 or 4 building’.

(2) Schedule 2, part 2—

*insert—*

- work necessary for maintaining or repairing a solar or heat pump hot water system in a building classified under BCA as a class 1, 2, 3 or 4 building

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*Note—*

For endorsements on licences for carrying out particular minor work mentioned in this schedule, see the *Plumbing and Drainage Regulation 2003*, section 7 and schedule 3.'

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ENDNOTES

- 1 Made by the Governor in Council on 10 September 2009.
- 2 Notified in the gazette on 11 September 2009.
- 3 Laid before the Legislative Assembly on . . .
- 4 The administering agency is the Department of Infrastructure and Planning.

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