



New South Wales

Fair Trading Amendment Regulation 2025

under the

Fair Trading Act 1987

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following regulation under the *Fair Trading Act 1987*.

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Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading

Explanatory note

The object of this regulation is to amend the *Fair Trading Regulation 2019* to prescribe an information standard that requires suppliers of certain e-micromobility vehicles to give or display information about the following in relation to the vehicles—

- (a) safe use,
- (b) safe disposal,
- (c) fire and electrical safety.

This regulation is made under the *Fair Trading Act 1987*, including sections 47C and 92, the general regulation-making power.

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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Fair Trading Amendment Regulation 2025*.

2 Commencement

This regulation commences on the day on which it is published on the NSW legislation website.

Schedule 1 Amendment of Fair Trading Regulation 2019

Part 2, Division 1A

Insert after Division 1—

Division 1A E-micromobility vehicles

6A Information standard for e-micromobility vehicles

- (1) For the Act, section 47C, the requirements of this division are prescribed as an information standard for the supply of e-micromobility vehicles.
- (2) In this division—
e-micromobility vehicle means an e-bike, electric scooter, self-balancing scooter or electric skateboard referred to as a declared electrical article in Government Gazette No 298 of 2 August 2024.

6B Meaning of “e-micromobility vehicle information”

For this division, *e-micromobility vehicle information*, in relation to the supply of an e-micromobility vehicle, means—

- (a) the following identifying information—
 - (i) name,
 - (ii) brand,
 - (iii) product serial number,
 - (iv) particulars of an approval or recognised external approval under the *Gas and Electricity (Consumer Safety) Act 2017*, section 16(4) or 20,
 - (v) applicable specifications set out in Government Gazette No 298 of 2 August 2024 that the product is required to comply with, and
- (b) the following information—
 - (i) the maximum speed of the vehicle,
 - (ii) the weight of the vehicle,
 - (iii) if the vehicle is an e-bike—the maximum continued rated power of the e-bike, and
- (c) the prescribed statement relating to applicable usage laws under clause 6D, and
- (d) the following information in relation to electrical and fire safety—
 - (i) a warning to use only compatible batteries and chargers to reduce the risk of fire or other damage,
 - (ii) information about batteries and chargers that are compatible with the vehicle,
 - (iii) information about safe charging practices, including safe locations for charging, suitable charging durations and a warning against overcharging,
 - (iv) a list of high-risk charging practices that could cause a fire,
 - (v) a warning that a fire could result from modifying the vehicle,
 - (vi) warning signs indicating the risk of a fire starting and appropriate actions the consumer should take to avoid the risk of a fire,
 - (vii) a notice to call 000 if the battery starts smoking or sparking,

- (viii) information about the safe storage of the vehicle and relevant accompanying products, including—
 - (A) how the vehicle and accompanying products should be stored to prevent environmental damage to the vehicle and products, and
 - (B) warnings against exposing the vehicle and accompanying products to heat or water for prolonged periods, and
- (e) the following information in relation to disposal—
 - (i) if the battery in the vehicle can be safely separated from the vehicle—
 - (A) how the battery can be safely separated from the vehicle, and
 - (B) the prescribed statement relating to applicable disposal laws under clause 6E,
 - (ii) if the battery in the vehicle cannot be safely separated from the vehicle—the prescribed statement relating to applicable disposal laws under clause 6E, and
- (f) the following safety information about the vehicle and the batteries and chargers supplied with the vehicle—
 - (i) a statement that the vehicle should not be used if the vehicle contains a damaged battery,
 - (ii) if applicable—other relevant safety information relating to battery or vehicle safety, and
- (g) the following statement in relation to the intended use of the vehicle—

Before using this vehicle, check the applicable local laws relating to your intended use of the vehicle on roads, footpaths, shared paths, bicycle lanes and bicycle paths.

6C Provision of e-micromobility vehicle information

- (1) A supplier of e-micromobility vehicles to consumers must, at the time of supply, give the consumer e-micromobility vehicle information in relation to the vehicle supplied.
- (2) The information under subclause (1) must be given in a reasonable way that clearly conveys the information to the consumer.

Examples of how information may be conveyed— physical or electronic manuals or safety booklets accompanying the vehicle
- (3) The requirement to provide particulars under clause 6B(a)(iv) applies to suppliers from 1 August 2025.

6D Display of information relating to applicable usage laws

A supplier of e-micromobility vehicles must prominently display, on the supplier's website and on or near an e-micromobility vehicle, before the time of supply, the following statement—

Before using this vehicle, check the applicable local laws relating to your intended use of the vehicle on roads and road related areas.

6E Display of information relating to applicable disposal laws

A supplier of e-micromobility vehicles must give a consumer the following statement at the time of supply—

WARNING: Do not dispose of this vehicle or components of this vehicle in household or kerbside garbage bins.
When disposing of this vehicle or components of this vehicle, check the applicable local waste and disposal laws.