

Electrical Safety Act 2002

# **Electrical Safety (Codes of Practice) Notice 2024**

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## **Electrical Safety (Codes of Practice) Notice** 2024

#### 1 Short title

This notice may be cited as the *Electrical Safety (Codes of Practice) Notice* 2024.

#### 2 Commencement

This notice commences on 15 August 2024.

#### 2A Definitions

The dictionary in schedule 2 defines particular words used in this notice.

#### 3 Codes of practice—Act, s 44

- (1) Notice of the making of a code of practice named in schedule 1 was given, for section 44(2) of the Act, before 15 August 2024 under the repealed *Electrical Safety (Codes of Practice) Notice 2013*.
- (2) The commencement date stated in schedule 1, column 3 for each code of practice mentioned in column 2 of the schedule is included for information purposes only.

Note-

Under section 44(5) of the Act, a code of practice expires 10 years after its commencement.

#### 3A Amendment of codes of practice—Act, s 44

- (1) If the entry in schedule 1 for a code of practice states that the code of practice has been amended by a ministerial instrument stated in the entry—
  - (a) the code of practice was amended by the ministerial instrument stated in the entry; and

- (b) the inclusion of the amendment in schedule 1 is notice, for section 44(2) of the Act, that the ministerial instrument stated in the entry amending the code of practice has been made by the Minister.
- (2) The date stated in schedule 1, column 2 for the amendment of a code of practice is included for information purposes only.

Note-

See section 44(4) of the Act for the commencement of an instrument amending a code of practice.

## 4 Repeal of Electrical Safety (Codes of Practice) Notice 2013

The Electrical Safety (Codes of Practice) Notice 2013, SL No. 276 is repealed.

### Schedule 1 Codes of practice

sections 3 and 3A

Column 1 Item	Column 2 Code of practice	Column 3 Commencement date
1	Construction and Operation of Solar Farms Code of Practice 2024	5 April 2024
	<ul> <li>amended by MI 2024 No. 1 on 27 September 2024</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>amended by MI 2024 No. 3 on 1 January 2025</li> </ul>	
2	Electrical Safety Code of Practice 2020—Electrical Equipment Rural Industry	2 January 2020
	<ul> <li>amended by MI 2024 No. 2 on 27 September 2024</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>amended by MI 2024 No. 4 on 1 January 2025</li> </ul>	
3	Electrical Safety Code of Practice 2020—Working Near Overhead and Underground Electric Lines	2 January 2020
	<ul> <li>amended by MI 2024 No. 4 on 1 January 2025</li> </ul>	
4	Electrical Safety Code of Practice 2020—Works	2 January 2020
5	Electrical Safety Code of Practice 2021—Managing Electrical Risks in the Workplace	1 March 2021
	<ul> <li>amended by MI 2024 No. 2 on 27 September 2024</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>amended by MI 2024 No. 4 on 1 January 2025</li> </ul>	

#### Schedule 2 Dictionary

section 2A

MI 2024 No. 1 means the ministerial instrument titled 'Work Health and Safety and Electrical Safety Variation and Amendment of Code of Practice (No. 1) 2024'.

MI 2024 No. 2 means the ministerial instrument titled 'Electrical Safety Amendment of Codes of Practice (No. 1) 2024'.

MI 2024 No. 3 means the ministerial instrument titled 'Work Health and Safety and Electrical Safety Variation and Amendment of Code of Practice (No. 2) 2024'.

MI 2024 No. 4 means the ministerial instrument titled 'Electrical Safety Amendment of Codes of Practice (No. 2) 2024'.

*ministerial instrument* means an instrument made by the Minister under section 44(2) of the Act to amend a code of practice.