

Roads Amendment (Major Roads) Regulation 2022

under the

Roads Act 1993

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Roads Act 1993*.

NATALIE WARD, MLC Minister for Metropolitan Roads

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to amend the *Roads Regulation 2018*, consequent on the enactment of the *Roads and Crimes Legislation Amendment Act 2022*, to prescribe major bridges, tunnels and roads for the purposes of the *Roads Act 1993*, section 144G. Section 144G creates an offence for a person who trespasses on a major bridge, tunnel or road if the conduct—

- (a) causes damage to the bridge, tunnel or road, or
- (b) seriously disrupts or obstructs vehicles or pedestrians attempting to use the bridge, tunnel or road.

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the Roads Amendment (Major Roads) Regulation 2022.

2 Commencement

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

3 Amendment of Roads Regulation 2018

(1) Clause 48A, heading

Omit "or tunnel". Insert instead ", tunnel or road".

(2) Clause 48A(1)

Omit "or tunnel". Insert instead ", tunnel or road".

(3) Clause 48A(1)(a)–(f)

Omit clause 48A(1)(a) and (b). Insert instead—

- (a) a main road,
- (b) a highway,
- (c) a freeway,
- (d) a tollway,
- (e) a bridge or tunnel that joins a road referred to in paragraphs (a)-(d),
- (f) a bridge or tunnel in—
 - (i) the Greater Sydney Region, or
 - (ii) the City of Newcastle, or
 - (iii) the City of Wollongong.