

L.N. 81 of 2022

**Sewage Services (Trade Effluent Surcharge)
(Amendment) Regulation 2022**

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 12 of the Sewage Services Ordinance (Cap. 463) and section 29 of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1))

1. Commencement

This Regulation comes into operation on 1 January 2023.

2. Sewage Services (Trade Effluent Surcharge) Regulation amended

The Sewage Services (Trade Effluent Surcharge) Regulation (Cap. 463 sub. leg. B) is amended as set out in sections 3, 4 and 5.

3. Section 3 amended (trade effluent surcharge rates)

(1) Section 3(1)(ca)—

Repeal subparagraph (ii)

Substitute

“(ii) begins in 2020, 2021, 2022 or 2023 and ends after 2023.”.

(2) Section 3(1)(d)(ii)—

Repeal

“2023”

Substitute

“2024”.

(3) Section 3—

Repeal subsection (1A)

Substitute

- “(1A) For a billing period for trade effluent surcharge that—
- (a) begins in 2020 and ends in 2020, 2021, 2022 or 2023;
 - (b) begins in 2021 and ends in 2021, 2022 or 2023;
 - (c) begins in 2022 and ends in 2022 or 2023; or
 - (d) begins and ends in 2023,
- the rate of the surcharge is \$0.”.

4. Schedule 1 amended (trade effluent surcharge rates)

Schedule 1, column 4, heading—

Repeal

“2023”

Substitute

“2024”.

5. Schedule 5 amended

- (1) Schedule 5, Part III, paragraph (a)—

Repeal

“or 2022” (wherever appearing)

Substitute

“, 2022 or 2023”.

- (2) Schedule 5, Part III, paragraph (b), definition of *relevant billing period*—

Repeal subparagraph (ii)

Substitute

“(ii) begins in 2020, 2021, 2022 or 2023 and ends after 2023.”.

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COUNCIL CHAMBER

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Explanatory Note

This Regulation amends the Sewage Services (Trade Effluent Surcharge) Regulation (Cap. 463 sub. leg. B) to extend the concessions of trade effluent surcharge to a billing period with any part of it falling within 2023.