

# A Practical Guide to Sentences in the NSW Local Court

### **Podcast materials**

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#### 1. Podcast PowerPoint Slides



## Sentencing in the Local Court

Materials to accompany the podcast

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## Part 1 Preparing for the plea

Your client's instructions - what you need to cover

- · Signed and dated instructions to plead, that include:
  - · The offences they're pleading guilty to
  - · The maximum penalties for the offences
  - That they've read and understood the Police Facts on which they'll be sentenced, and they
    agree their Criminal History is accurate
  - · They understand the evidence that proves the offences

### Part 1

### Preparing for the plea

#### Your client's instructions - what you need to cover

- · They understand their right to defend the charges
- · They understand the early PG discount regime
- They understand they may receive a full-time gaol sentence and are aware of any consequential orders (such as CPR, AVO, Disqualification)
- · They understand their appeal rights

Attach a copy of the Police Facts, and have your client sign these as well. You can add the statement: "I accept that these are the facts on which I'll be sentenced".

## Part 1 Preparing for the plea

#### Your client's instructions - what you need to cover

- · The three things that the Court wants to know:
  - · What happened (the objective circumstances of the offending; the context to the offences)
  - · Why it happened (context; subjective circumstances)
  - · Why it won't happen again (subjective factors; prospects of rehabilitation)
- · You need to take detailed instructions that address all three.
  - $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Use a template that follows the structure/order of your submissions

#### Part 1

### Preparing for the plea

#### Subjective materials - what to tender and why

- · Is the material relevant to a submission you will be making?
  - Moral culpability evidence of mental illness or cognitive deficit; evidence that may explain (but not excuse) the offending conduct (e.g. reason for driving)
  - · Prospects of rehabilitation evidence of rehab attendance or completion of courses/counselling
- · Letter from your client it must be sincere, honest, and in their own words.
- The golden rules of character references explain these to your client and their referees:
  - The reference must refer to the offence (better still, the referee should confirm that they have read the sentencing facts)
  - · The referee cannot be a family member
  - · The reference should be reasonable, realistic and verifiable

## Part 1

## Preparing for the plea

#### Do you have all the relevant materials?

- · Conviction report (or redacted bail report) that is up-to-date
- · Sentencing Assessment Report
- · Any breach reports?
- · Custodial history (C,S & A Report) if relevant

## Part 2 The Plea

Your sentence submissions should have a structure and be internally consistent and cohesive.

Written vs. Oral?

#### The beginning

- · Is there something to 'hang your hat on'? A theme?
- · What will be your 'ultimate submission'?

## Part 2 The Plea

#### The middle

- · Objective circumstances and the objective criminality -
  - · Aggravating and mitigating factors
  - · Where does this offending sit in the range?
- · Context to the offending the surrounding circumstances
- · The timing of the plea of guilty
- Criminal history what does it say about the prospects of rehabilitation and the appropriate penalty?
- · Subjective background information:
  - Bugmy submission see the Bar Book
  - · Prospects of rehabilitation

## Part 2 The Plea

#### The end – "landing the plane on the tarmac"

- · What is the appropriate disposition and why
  - · This is the logical conclusion to everything you've just said
  - · It is consistent with the relevant Guideline Judgement
  - · It addresses Section 3A purposes of sentencing
    - The sentence you propose strikes the right balance between denouncement, retribution and rehabilitation.

## Part 3 After the sentencing

#### If your client gets slotted

- Speak to them to explain their sentence and advise them of their appeal rights, time limits and prospects of success
  - · If instructed to, file an appeal
  - Obtain instructions to apply for bail, if relevant.
    - The appeal must be filed before a bail application can be made

#### If your client gets to go home with a community-based order

- · Explain their obligations and any consequential orders (e.g. disqualification; interlock orders)
- · Advise them of any appeal rights and prospects (and the limited availability of legal aid)

## **Custodial sentences**Some things to be aware of

- Section 58 Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999 Limitation on consecutive sentences imposed by Local Court
  - · Existing sentence includes parole period
- Start date of sentence when pre-sentence custody includes balance of parole: Callaghan v R (2006) 160 A Crim R 145
- · Rehab as quasi-custody usually 50%
- · Revocation of parole and the 12 month rule all is not lost

### **Advocacy tips for Local Court sentencing**

- · Be concise and don't repeat yourself
- · Know your bench
- · Develop a theme if you can: something to hang your hat onto
  - · Similar to a 'case theory'
- · Maintain your credibility by conceding what you need to, and making sensible submissions
- Steal your opponent's thunder (usually with appropriate concessions)

### **Advocacy tips for Local Court sentencing**

- · Be realistic about the likely sentence and advise your client accordingly
  - It should be no surprise to your client if they get slotted from the floor you will have already told them to prepare for it
- · Watch others for what they do well and what they don't
- · Seek feedback from colleagues on your performance
- · You are not a magician!
- Last but not least: NEVER, EVER START YOUR PLEA WITH THE WORDS: "my client is a xx year old male...." this is both lazy and lame.

### Resources

- Local Court Bench Book and Sentencing Bench Book
- NSW Criminal Practice and Procedure: LexisNexis subscription required
- Judge Yehia's 'Sentencing Checklist'
- Mark Dennis Excellent Website: <u>Criminal CPD</u>
- NSW Public Defenders Sentencing Resources

### Some important legislation

- · Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999
- · Crimes Act 1900
- Drug Misuse and Trafficking Act 1985
- · Road Transport Act 2013
- · Crimes (Appeal and Review) Act 2001

### Templates, checklists and cheat sheets

- · Written instructions to plea guilty
- · Sentencing instructions checklist
- · Sentencing submissions checklist
- · PD's table of community based orders
- · RTA offences cheat sheet

#### 2. Facts, Record and SAR for the example client, John Smith

#### COURT ATTENDANCE NOTICE

(DEFENDANT COPY)

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You are required to attend the NEWCASTLE LOCAL Court on

#### **DEFENDANT DETAILS**



#### PROSECUTOR (NSW POLICE) DETAILS



#### **DETAILS OF OFFENCE/S**

1	Road Transport Act 2013, Section 110(5)(a) Drive with high range PCA - first offence	Law Part Code 79166
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2	Road Transport Act 2013, Section 54(1)(a)  Drive motor vehicle on road during disqualification period - first offence at did drive a motor vehicle on a road during a period of disqualification, the said a person who was disqualified from obtaining a driver licence.	Law Part Code 79009

#### INFORMATION FOR DEFENDANT

- 1. You should obtain legal advice immediately about your rights regarding this Court Attendance Notice. You may wish to contact a legal practitioner, LawAccess (1300 888 529) or the Legal Aid Commission if you require assistance. On your first date of appearance at Court, you should be in a position to advise the court, if required, whether you wish to plead guilty or not guilty to the alleged offence/s.
- 2. If you have a physical impairment, or require an interpreter to assist you at Court, please advise the Local Court at which you are to appear as soon as possible.
- 3. If you have been charged by the Police, then the Police Officer responsible for investigating the alleged offence's will, on request, make arrangement for a language interpreter to assist you at Court.
- 4. Fallure to appear may result in your arrest or in the matter being dealt with in your absence.

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New South Wales Police FIELD CAN **FACTS SHEET** Offender Address Nationality : Unknown D.O.B Occupation CNI No. Seq. No. Offences 1. Drive with high range Pca 1st off Law Part : 79166 Act Road Transport Act 2013 Section 110(5)(A) 2. Drive motor vehicle during disqualification period 1st off Law Part : 79009 Act Road Transport Act 2013 Section 54(1)(A) ARRESTING OFFICER Station : NEWCASTLE CITY HWP INFORMANT Name : Station : NEWCASTLE CITY HWP ACCEPTING OFFICER Name : Station : Newcastle City Hwp Date COURT Court Name: Newcastle Local Court Court Date : WITNESSES Police Witnesses : 1 Civilian Witnesses: 0 BAIL Bail Type : No Bail Conditions

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#### New South Wales Police



FACTS SHEET Cont'd Defendant :

#### ANTECEDENTS

Unemployed male living in a defacto relationship, has a self admitted alcohol problem.

#### FULL FACTS

At 1.10pm on	Police have observed the accu	sed
	driving a white commodore sedan, registration number	in a southerly
direction, on D	Parby St, Cooks Hill.	

Police have stopped the accused as the rear number plate was faded and difficult to read.

When stopped the Accused got out of the vehicle and said, "You've got me." He was unable to produce a driver's licence and told police he was disqualified.

While talking with him police noticed that his eyes were glassy and blood shot, his breath smelt of intoxicating liquor and he was unsteady on his feet. Police formed the opinion he was moderately effected by alcohol.

He was given a breath test which revealed a positive reading. The accused was consequently placed under arrest. He then produced photo identification in his name.

He was taken to Newcastle Police Station. At the Station he admitted to consuming, 3 schooners of tooheys new and 5 to 6 glasses of scotch between 7.30am and 1pm. With his last drink at home.

The accused has undergone a breath analysis which has revealed a reading of 0.187 grams of alcohol per 210 litres of breath. Certificate number

The accused was not issued a suspension notice as he did not hold a current drivers licence.

The accused has stated the reason he drove when he knew he had been drinking was, that he didn't want his defacto who had also been drinking and held a current licence to drive.

RMS checks on the Accused's licence found that his NSW licence No.

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#### New South Wales Police



#### FACTS SHEET Cont'd

Defendant:

#### FULL FACTS Cont'd.

disqualified until 3/6/2027.

The accused was consequently issued a field Court attendance notice for drive with the high range PCA and drive whilst disqualified.

At the time of the offence it was daylight, fine and dry roadway. Traffic was light. There was one other intoxicated persons in the vehicle.

At all times the Accused was compliant and polite towards police.

The Accused's fingerprints were taken at the Police Station.

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25/04/1991	WALLSEND LOCAL COURT WARATAH	18/07/1991 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 001	1. OBTAIN BENEFIT BY DECEPTION	1. 50 HRS CSO.
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CV 002	1. STEAL	1. 50 HRS CSO.

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13/06/1991	WALLSEND LOCAL COURT WARATAH	24/10/1991 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 002	B&E WITH INTENT	PERIODIC DETENTION: 9 MONTHS COMMENCING 01/09/1991 COSTS - COURT: \$45 WITNESS EXPENSES: \$27 (SDC 24840)
CV 001	BE&S	PERIODIC DETENTION: 9 MONTHS COMMENCING 01/09/1991 (SDC 24840)
19/06/1991	WALLSEND LOCAL COURT WARATAH	18/07/1991 H ^^* ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 001	1. STEALING S117/496 (MIRROR & STEREO SYSTEM)	1. 50 HOURS COMMUNITY SERVICE ORDER. (SUPERVISING COURT WALLSEND).
24/05/1993	WALLSEND LOCAL COURT NEWCASTLE CITY	09/08/1993 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 001	1. STEALING	1. 6 MTHS PERIODIC DETENTION FROM 200893

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29/03/1994	BELMONT LOCAL COURT CHARLESTOWN	16/06/1994 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 001	1. STEALING	1. RECOG S558 SELF \$1000 GB 12 MTHS ACCEPT SUPV NS W PROBATION SERVICE ALSO FD \$100 CC \$46 RECOG ENTE RED MORAHAN LCM
28/08/1997	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	28/10/1997 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV COM	MON ASSAULT-T2 (2 COUNTS)	COMMITTED FOR TRIAL : (SDC 24840)
CV 005	COMMIT ACT OF INDECENCY WITH VICTIM UNDER 10 YEARS-T1	COMMITTED FOR TRIAL : (SDC 24840)
CV 003	INCITE VICTIM UNDER 10 YEARS TO COMMIT INDECENT ACT-T1	COMMITTED FOR TRIAL : (SDC 24840)
CV 004	SEXUAL INTERCOURSE WITH PERSON UNDER THE AGE OF 10 YEARS-SI	COMMITTED FOR TRIAL : (SDC 24840)
28/08/1997	NEWCASTLE DISTRICT COURT WARATAH	17/09/1998 H : ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 005	COMMIT ACT OF INDECENCY WITH VICTIM UNDER 10 YEARS-T1	INDICTED FOR: NOT GUILTY BY VERDICT : (DC 319548) COURT CASE REFERENCE NUMBER 97/31/0491

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CV	007	INCITE TO COMMIT ACT OF INDECENCY CHILD UNDER 16 YRS	INDICTED FOR: NOT GUILTY BY VERDICT: (DC 319548) COURT CASE REFERENCE NUMBER 97/31/0491
06/01/20	002	TORONTO LOCAL COURT NEWCASTLE CITY	05/02/2002 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV	001	BREAK AND ENTER BUILDING (STEAL) VALUE <= \$15000-T1	BOND S9: 2 YEARS SUPV NSW PROB SERVICE AND COMPLETE ANY DRUG AND ALCOHOL OR OTHER PROGRAMME AS DIRECTED
EV	002	MAKE/FURNISH A STATEMENT WHICH IS FALSE/MISLEADING	FINE: \$100 COSTS - COURT: \$58 COMPENSATION: \$300

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25/10/2002	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	30/10/2002 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	WARRANT, FAILURE TO APPEAR FOR BREACH OF GOOD BEHAVIOUR BOND (FIRST INSTANCE WARRANT - 35138421)	CONVICTED S25(2) WARRANT TO ISSUE:
22/11/2002	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT NEWCASTLE CITY	19/12/2002 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	WARRANT, FAILURE TO APPEAR FOR BREACH OF GOOD BEHAVIOUR BOND (FIRST INSTANCE WARRANT -	WARRANT MAY ISSUE :
22/11/2002	TORONTO LOCAL COURT NEWCASTLE CITY	04/03/2003 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	WARRANT, FAILURE TO APPEAR FOR BREACH OF GOOD BEHAVIOUR BOND (FIRST INSTANCE WARRANT -	CONVICTED S25(2) WARRANT TO ISSUE :
22/11/2002	TORONTO LOCAL COURT NEWCASTLE CITY	08/10/2003 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
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22/11/2002	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT NEWCASTLE CITY	16/03/2004 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 001	WARRANT, FAILURE TO APPEAR FOR BREACH OF GOOD BEHAVIOUR BOND (FIRST INSTANCE WARRANT -	IMPRISONMENT : 2 MONTHS COMMENCING 15/03/2004 (LCRT 530)
22/12/2002	TORONTO LOCAL COURT WARATAH	04/03/2003 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV CON	TRAVENE APPREHENDED DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ORDER (3 COUNTS)	CONVICTED S25(2) WARRANT TO ISSUE :
22/12/2002	TORONTO LOCAL COURT WARATAH	08/10/2003 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV CON	TRAVENE APPREHENDED DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ORDER (3 COUNTS)	FINE : \$500 COSTS - COURT : \$61
20/09/2003	MAITLAND LOCAL COURT RAYMOND TERRACE PS	20/09/2003 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 001	WARRANT W EXECUTED (BREACH OF AVO - 35344364)	WARRANT EXECUTED : (EECO 1202)
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CV 00	3 WARRANT W EXECUTED (BREACH OF AVO -	WARRANT EXECUTED : (EECO 1203)
23/09/2003	TORONTO LOCAL COURT WARATAH	08/10/2003 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EA 00	1 DESTROY OR DAMAGE PROPERTY	CONVICTED S25(2) WARRANT TO ISSUE :
EA 00	2 CONTRAVENE APPREHENDED DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ORDER	CONVICTED S25(2) WARRANT TO ISSUE :
23/09/2003	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	16/03/2004 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 00	1 DESTROY OR DAMAGE PROPERTY	IMPRISONMENT : 2 MONTHS COMMENCING 15/03/2004
EV 00	2 CONTRAVENE APPREHENDED DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ORDER	IMPRISONMENT : 2 MONTHS COMMENCING 15/03/2004
14/03/2004	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	16/03/2004 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CA 00	21 WARRANT W EXECUTED FOR CHARGE H: (CONVICTION -	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 430)

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CV 002	WARRANT W 35542272 EXECUTED FOR CHARGE H (CONVICTION -	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 430)
01/08/2006	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	29/08/2006 H : ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	CONTRAVENE APPREHENDED DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ORDER	FINE : \$300 COSTS - COURT : \$67
09/12/2006	BELMONT LOCAL COURT LAKE MACQUARIE HWP	01/02/2007 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	DRIVE WITH LOW RANGE PCA	CONVICTED S25(2) WARRANT TO ISSUE :
EV 002	USE UNREGISTERED REGISTRABLE CLASS A MOTOR VEHICLE	FINE : \$400 COSTS - COURT : \$67
EV 003	NEVER LICENSED PERSON DRIVE VEHICLE ON ROAD-1ST OFFENCE	FINE : \$500 COSTS - COURT : \$67
09/12/2006	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT LAKE MACQUARIE HWP	05/06/2007 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
CV 001	DRIVE WITH LOW RANGE PCA	FINE: \$400 COSTS - COURT: \$67 DISQUALIFICATION: 6 MONTHS COMMENCING 05/06/2007 (EECO 3871)

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01/06/2007	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	04/06/2007 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 001	WARRANT W EXECUTED FOR CHARGE H CONVICTION -	WARRANT EXECUTED : (EECO 3871)
01/06/2007	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	05/06/2007 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV FUR	NISH FALSE INFORMATION/STATEMENT TO LICENSEE (2 COUNTS)	FINE: \$200 COSTS - COURT: \$67
EV 002	STEAL PROPERTY IN DWELLING-HOUSE <=\$2000-T2	BOND S9: 18 MONTHS SUPV NSW PROB SERVICE OBEY ALL REASONABLE DIRECTIONS FOR COUNSELLING, EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT OR DRUG AND ALCOHOL INCLUDE RESIDENTIAL REHABILITATION AND REPORT TO NEWCASTLE PROBATION OFFICE WITHIN 24 HOURS.
01/06/2007	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	07/03/2014 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 002	STEAL PROPERTY IN DWELLING-HOUSE <=\$2000-T2	(CALL UP) ARREST WARRANT TO ISSUE : (LCRT 6855)

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01/06/2007	TORONTO LOCAL COURT WARATAH	16/05/2014 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 002	STEAL PROPERTY IN DWELLING-HOUSE <=\$2000-T2	(CALL UP) NO ACTION ON BREACH :
18/04/2008	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	03/06/2008 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	NEVER LICENSED PERSON DRIVE VEHICLE ON ROAD-2ND+ OFFENCE	FINE: \$500 COSTS - COURT: \$70 DISQUALIFICATION: 3 YEARS COMMENCING 03/06/2008 DISQUALIFICATION (HABITUAL OFFENDER): QUASHED BOND S9: 2 YEARS NOT TO DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED.
03/07/2008	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	04/08/2008 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A LICENCE	ARREST WARRANT TO ISSUE :
03/07/2008	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	24/02/2009 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A LICENCE	FINE: \$800 COSTS - COURT: \$73 DISQUALIFICATION: 2 YEARS COMMENCING 03/06/2011

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CV 001	WARRANT W EXECUTED FOR CHARGE H (BENCH - NON CONVICTION -	WARRANT EXECUTED :
12/12/2008	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	24/02/2009 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 002	DRIVE WITH MIDDLE RANGE PCA	FINE: \$800 DISQUALIFICATION: 2 YEARS COMMENCING 03/06/2013
EV 003	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM-HOLDING A LICENCE	COMMUNITY SERVICE ORDER: 100 HOURS DISQUALIFICATION: 2 YEARS COMMENCING 03/06/2013
12/12/2008	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT WARATAH	25/09/2009 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 003	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A LICENCE	(CALL UP) FINE : \$2,000 (EECO 5544)

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CNI NUMBER NAME	: :	DOB :
CHARGE DATE	CHARGE STATION	COURT DATE  CHARGE NO
STATUS	OFFENCE	SENTENCE
07/12/2010	BELMONT LOCAL COURT LAKE MACQUARIE HWP	03/03/2011 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	DRIVE WITH MIDDLE RANGE PCA	BOND S9: 12 MONTHS SUPV NSW PROB SERVICE COSTS - COURT: \$79 DISQUALIFICATION: 2 YEARS COMMENCING 04/06/2025 DISQUALIFICATION (HABITUAL OFFENDER): QUASHED
EV 002	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A LICENCE	BOND S9: 12 MONTHS SUPV NSW PROB SERVICE COSTS - COURT: \$79 AUTOMATIC/STATUTORY PERIOD: COMMENCING 04/06/2023 DISQUALIFICATION (HABITUAL OFFENDER): QUASHED
07/12/2010	BELMONT LOCAL COURT LAKE MACQUARIE HWP	27/10/2011 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	DRIVE WITH MIDDLE RANGE PCA	(CALL UP) NO ACTION ON BREACH:
EV 002	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A LICENCE	(CALL UP) NO ACTION ON BREACH :

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#### CRIMINAL HISTORY - BAIL REPORT CONT'D

CNI NUMBER	1	DOB :
STATUS	COURT NAME CHARGE STATION OFFENCE	COURT DATE CHARGE NO SENTENCE
13/12/2012	TORONTO LOCAL COURT BELMONT	19/04/2013 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A LICENCE	CONVICTED S25(2) WARRANT TO ISSUE:
13/12/2012	TORONTO LOCAL COURT BELMONT	16/10/2013 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A LICENCE	CONVICTED S25(2) WARRANT TO ISSUE :
13/12/2012	TORONTO LOCAL COURT BELMONT	15/11/2013 H ' ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A LICENCE	CONVICTED S25(2) WARRANT TO ISSUE :
13/12/2012	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT BELMONT	07/03/2014 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 003	FAIL TO APPEAR IN ACCORDANCE WITH BAIL UNDERTAKING (CONVICTION -	OFFENCE PROVED S25 (2) WARRANT TO ISSUE :
EV 001	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A LICENCE	OFFENCE PROVED S25 (2) WARRANT TO ISSUE :
EV 002	FAIL TO APPEAR IN ACCORDANCE WITH BAIL UNDERTAKING (CONVICTION -	OFFENCE NOT PROCEEDED WITH (LCRT 6855)

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CNI NUMBER NAME	1	DOB :
CHARGE	COURT NAME	COURT DATE
DATE STATUS	CHARGE STATION OFFENCE	CHARGE NO SENTENCE
51A105		
13/12/2012	TORONTO LOCAL COURT BELMONT	16/05/2014 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	DRIVE WHILE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A LICENCE	IMPRISONMENT: 4 MONTHS SUSPENDED ON ENTER BOND S12: 4 MONTHS DISQUALIFICATION: 2 YEARS FROM THE END OF THE CURRENT PERIOD OF DISQUALIFICATION.
EV 004	FAIL TO APPEAR IN ACCORDANCE WITH BAIL UNDERTAKING (BENCH - NON CONVICTION -	OFFENCE NOT PROCEEDED WITH (EECO 8866)
EV 003	FAIL TO APPEAR IN ACCORDANCE WITH BAIL UNDERTAKING (CONVICTION -	S10A CONVICTION WITH NO OTHER PENALTY:
07/02/2013	TORONTO LOCAL COURT	22/03/2013
	WARATAH	** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	WARRANT W EXECUTED  (FRESH MATTERS - NON CONVICTION -	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 5172)
12/08/2013	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT BELMONT	12/08/2013 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 001	WARRANT W EXECUTED FOR CHARGE H (CONVICTION - 62603712)	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 5863)

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CNI NUMBER NAME	: 1	DOB :
CHARGE DATE STATUS	CHARGE STATION	COURT DATE CHARGE NO SENTENCE
CHARGE CONT 12/08/2013	D NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT BELMONT	12/08/2013 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
CV 002	WARRANT W EXECUTED  (FRESH MATTERS - NON CONVICTION -	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 5863)
30/10/2013	TORONTO LOCAL COURT BELMONT	30/10/2013 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	WARRANT W EXECUTED FOR CHARGE H (CONVICTION - 62698838)	WARRANT EXECUTED :
EV 002	WARRANT W EXECUTED (FRESH MATTERS - NON CONVICTION	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 6212)
27/11/2013	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT NEWCASTLE	21/02/2014 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	WARRANT W EXECUTED (FRESH MATTERS - NON CONVICTION	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 6367) (LCRT 6809)
EV 002	WARRANT W EXECUTED FOR CHARGE H (CONVICTION -	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 6367) (LCRT 6809)

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CNI NUMBER NAME	: :	DOB :
CHARGE DATE STATUS	COURT NAME CHARGE STATION OFFENCE	COURT DATE CHARGE NO SENTENCE
08/05/2014	BELMONT LOCAL COURT BELMONT	09/05/2014 H ** FINGERPRINTED **
EV 001	WARRANT W EXECUTED FOR CHARGE H (BREACH OF ORDER -	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 7120)
EV 002	WARRANT W EXECUTED (FRESH MATTERS - NON CONVICTION -	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 7120)
EV 003	WARRANT W EXECUTED FOR CHARGE H (BENCH - NON CONVICTION -	WARRANT EXECUTED : (LCRT 7120)
04/02/2020	NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT NEWCASTLE CITY HWP	27/02/2020 H ** NON-FINGERPRINTED **
002	DRIVE MOTOR VEHICLE DURING DISQUALIFICATION PERIOD - 1ST OFF	
001	DRIVE WITH HIGH RANGE PCA - 1ST OFF	
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Name: :

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Date of Birth:

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Drivers Licence No & State:

NSW

DRIVES Customer Id:

Licence No.:

Customer No .: Customer Name:
Address:

Date of Birth:

Class

Type Learner Expiry Date 12-10-1990

Disqualified

from 03-06-2008 to 03-06-2027

16-05-2014 TORONTO Court

12-12-2012 DRIVE WHILST

GLCSB230514/642/1

DISQUALIFIED

State: NSW

DISQ 2 Years (Court Order) From 03-06-2025

4 Months Suspended Sentence

08-06-2011 STATE DEBT RECOVERY OFFICE

04-12-2010 EXCEED SPEED LIMIT BY

EO \$692 5 6051086590159/1

EO \$90 4 6050797262122/1

MORE THAN 30 KM/H BUT NOT MORE THAN 45 KM/H WHILST DRIVING A MOTOR VEHICLE (CAMERA

DETECTED)

02-05-2011 STATE DEBT RECOVERY OFFICE

14-11-2010 EXCEED SPEED LIMIT BY

NOT MORE THAN 10 KM/H WHILST DRIVING A MOTOR VEHICLE (CAMERA

DETECTED)

03-03-2011 BELMONT Court

03-03-2011 HABITUAL OFFENDER

CCSS280311/HOQ/1

DECLARED

for the offences of 07-12-2010, 11-12-2008, 03-07-2008

Declaration QUASHED on 28-03-2011

03-03-2011 BELMONT Court

07-12-2010 DRIVE WITH MIDDLE

GLCSS280311/467/1

RANGE CONCENTRATION OF ALCOHOL

DISQ 2 Years (Court Order) From 03-03-2011 Good Behaviour Bond 1 Year

HABITUAL TRAFFIC OFFENDER DECLARATION QUASHED

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03-03-2011 BELMONT Court

07-12-2010 DRIVE WHILST

GLCSS280311/467/2

DISQUALIFIED

DISQ 2 Years (Court Order) From 03-06-2023 Good Behaviour Bond 1 Year

HABITUAL TRAFFIC OFFENDER DECLARATION QUASHED

24-02-2009 NEWCASTLE Court

24-02-2009 HABITUAL OFFENDER

CCVN230309/H02/1

DECLARED

DISQ 5 Years (Auto) From 03-06-2018

for the offences of 11-12-2008, 03-07-2008, 18-04-2008

24-02-2009 NEWCASTLE Court

24-02-2009 HABITUAL OFFENDER

CCCVN230309/HO1/1

DECLARED

DISQ 5 Years (Auto) From 03-06-2013

for the offences of 03-07-2008, 18-04-2008, 09-12-2006

24-02-2009 NEWCASTLE Court

03-07-2008 DRIVE WHILST

\$800 GLCSB210309/357/1

DISQUALIFIED

DISQ 2 Years (Court Order) From 03-06-2011

24-02-2009 NEWCASTLE Court

\$800 GLCSB210309/357/2 11-12-2008 DRIVE WITH MIDDLE

RANGE CONCENTRATION

OF ALCOHOL

DISQ 2 Years (Court Order) From 03-06-2013

24-02-2009 NEWCASTLE Court

11-12-2008 DRIVE WHILST

GLCSB210309/357/3

DISQUALIFIED

DISQ 2 Years (Court Order) From 03-06-2013

100 Hours Community Service

26-09-2008 STATE DEBT RECOVERY OFFICE

30-04-2008 EXCEED SPEED LIMIT BY EO \$238 6022068324270/1

MORE THAN 15 KM/H BUT NOT MORE THAN 30 KM/H WHILST DRIVING A MOTOR VEHICLE (CAMERA

DETECTED)

16-06-2008 Habitual Offence Warning letter sent for the offences of 09-12-2006 and 18-04-2008.

03-06-2008 NEWCASTLE Court

18-04-2008 UNLIC. DRIVER/RIDER -\$500 GLCAF140608/319/1

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NEVER HELD A LIC. -SUBSEQUENT OFFENCE WITHIN LAST 5 YRS (COURT CONVICTION)

DISQ 3 Years (Court Order) From 03-06-2008

Good Behaviour Bond 2 Years

HABITUAL OFFENDER DECLARATION QUASHED

05-06-2007 NEWCASTLE Court

\$400 GLCSM140607/267/1 09-12-2006 DRIVE WITH LOW RANGE

CONCENTRATION OF

ALCOHOL

DISQ 6 Months (Court Order) From 05-06-2007

01-02-2007 BELMONT Court

\$500 L GLCMS210207/249/1 09-12-2006 UNLICENSED

DRIVER/RIDER - NEVER HELD A LICENCE - 1ST. OFFENCE IN 5 YRS (COURT CONVICTION)

01-02-2007 BELMONT Court

09-12-2006 USE UNREGISTERED MOTOR \$400 00037401/06/31/1

VEHICLE

16-12-2004 STATE DEBT RECOVERY OFFICE

01-07-2004 EXCEED SPEED LIMIT BY EO \$130 6003606438352/1

NOT MORE THAN 15 KM/H WHILST DRIVING A MOTOR VEHICLE (CAMERA

DETECTED)

29-11-2001 STATE DEBT RECOVERY OFFICE

01-08-2001 DISOBEY TRAFFIC LIGHTS-CAMERA EO \$211 8744048334/1

DETECTED

01-08-1996 CASTLEREAGH STREET Court

08-04-1996 EXCEED SPEED LIMIT BY

MORE THAN 15 KM/H BUT EO \$165 4851904215/1

NOT MORE THAN 30 KM/H WHILST DRIVING A MOTOR VEHICLE

17-10-1989 Learner Licence Issued (Class 1A)

12-08-1988 Learner Licence Issued (Class 1A)

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Signature:

Name:

Rank:

Location: Wewcastle

Date: 4/2/20



## Sentencing assessment report

Name

Date of birth

MIN

Court NEWCASTLE LOCAL COURT

Court date 2020

Offences Drive with high range PCA - 1st off
Drive motor vehicle during disqualification period - 1st off

#### Sources of information

Interviews with

Contact with Mr

Contact with Mr

Contact with
 Dental and Medical Centre

Contact with Mr
 Disability Employment Agency

- Contact with Calvary Mater Hospital Mental Health and Substance Use Service (MHSUS).
- · Police facts and criminal history
- Corrective Services NSW records

#### **Current circumstances**

#### Family and social circumstances

- Mr examples resides with his long term partner in the Swansea area in a local motel. He indicated that prior to securing this accommodation he and his partner had experienced homelessness where they were residing in their car.
- Mread and indicated that he will be relocating to Newcastle East within the coming weeks.

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# Education and employment

- Mr
   is currently unemployed an in receipt of Newstart allowance.
- Enquires indicate that he has an impending assessment with a Disability Employment Agency to determine ongoing employment related support.

# Factors related to offending

## History of anti-social behaviour

 Mr has an attributed his previous offences to his illegal driving choices and domestic violence related behaviours.

#### Attitudes

- Mr made a full admission he had driven the vehicle despite consuming several alcoholic drinks throughout the course of the day.
- He claimed that he had had driven the vehicle in attempt to remove himself from a high risk situation with a family member.
- He acknowledged the he had driven the vehicle with knowledge that he did not hold a valid drivers licence at the time of his actions.

### Substance use

Mr made a full admission he had driven the vehicle despite consuming several alcoholic drinks.

# Responsivity

### Insight into impact of offending

 Mr stated that he "accepts full responsibility" and "willing to accept the consequences as the result of his negative behaviour".

## Willingness and ability to undertake intervention

 Throughout the adjournment period Mr has engaged with Calvary Mater Hospital's MHSUS and has an upcoming appointment scheduled for the 20 August 2020.

### Willingness and ability to undertake community service work

 Mr had expressed a willingness to undertake community service work should a condition be imposed.

### Response to supervision

- It is noted that throughout the adjournment period Mr

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with all directions provided to him and maintained regular telephone contact with Community Corrections.

### Assessment and recommendations

#### Risk assessment

Mr has been assessed at a **Medium/High** risk of reoffending according to the Level of Service Inventory – Revised (LSI-R).

# Supervision plan

If the court makes a supervised order, Community Corrections will supervise Mr at the **T1 Medium/High** supervision level of the Service Delivery Standards. This means that he will be required to report to a Community Corrections Officer every 2 weeks.

During the COVID-19 pandemic, the level of service delivery may be reduced or altered, for example, Mr may report to the Community Corrections Officer by telephone.

At this time, Community Corrections will implement the following supervision plan:

- Cognitive behaviour interventions to targeting Managing Cravings, High Risk Environments and Impulsivity deficits.
- Referral to EQUIPS Foundations Programs; both online and face to face post COVID-19 restrictions.
- Mr to engage with Mental Health and Substance Use Service (MHSUS) for dual diagnosis related intervention.

### Recommended order conditions

If the court makes a supervised order, Community Corrections considers that the following conditions would assist to manage the identified risk factors:

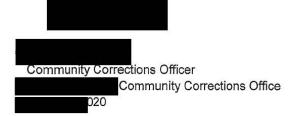
- To complete EQUIPS Foundations Program via LiViT online program, or face to face EQUIPS Program when they resume.
- To engage with the Mental Health and Substance Use Service (MHSUS).

### Community service assessment

Community Corrections has assessed Mr as suitable to undertake community service work. As all community service work is currently suspended due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Mr will be credited with 7 hours per week until work resumes.

If a community service work condition is made, Mr should telephone the Community Corrections Office within 7 days.

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The information in this report is provided under s12A of the *Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Regulation 2017* to assist the court in deciding the appropriate community based sentence and conditions for the offender. It may be used to make a conditional release order, a community correction order, or an intensive correction order.

### This report does not:

- Give guidance on the appropriate severity of a sentence under s3A of the Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999
- Answer legal questions such as whether the offender is eligible for an intensive correction order under s67 of the Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999
- Address matters which are the responsibility of the offender's legal representative or the prosecutor, such as mitigating or aggravating circumstances.

Section 7 of the *Crimes (Sentencing Procedures) Act 1999* allows a court that has sentenced an offender to a period of imprisonment to direct that the offender serves the sentence by way of intensive correction in the community.

Before including a home detention condition on an intensive correction order, the court must request a home detention assessment report from Community Corrections under s17D(2) of the *Crimes (Sentencing Procedures) Act 1999.* 

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# 3. Instructions to Plead Guilty Template

I,instruct my solicitor
I am charged with the following offence(s):  •
I understand that the maximum penalty for the offence(s) is/are:  • •
I have read/been read the Police Facts Sheet – which are attached to these instructions – and I accept that these are the facts on which the Court will sentence me.
My solicitor has explained to me that the evidence against me is:  • • •
My solicitor has advised me that I can be found guilty of the above offence(s) on this evidence.
I understand that:
I have a right to plead not guilty. If I plead not guilty, I will have a defended hearing and my solicitor will represent me in that hearing. If I am found guilty at the hearing I will then be convicted and sentenced.
However, if I plead guilty early, and without the need for a defended hearing, I will get a discount (a smaller sentence) for my 'early plea of guilty'.
I instruct my solicitor that I want to plead guilty to:  • •
I understand that I am admitting guilt in relation to each and every element of the offence(s), namely 1. 2. 3.
My solicitor has told me that I may be sentenced to a term of imprisonment.
I have seen my criminal record, and I agree it is accurate. I understand that my criminal record and the Police Facts Sheet will be tendered to the Court for my sentence hearing.
My solicitor has advised me of my appeal rights to the District Court if I think my sentence is too harsh.
I wish to plead guilty of my own choice and free will.
Signed:
Date:

# 4. Obtaining Instructions on Sentence Template/Checklist

# **Objective Factors**

- Reason(s) and motivation for committing the offence
- The level of planning or impulsiveness involved in the offence.
- Other matters affecting the objective seriousness of the offence (e.g. state of mind at time of
  offence, role, length of time over which it occurred).

# Subjective background

- Age
- Current living arrangements
  - Family relationships
  - o Partner
  - o Kids
  - Supportive? Pro-social?

### Background and upbringing

- Education level achieved
- Work history & qualifications

## Physical health

- o Current conditions &/or medications
- Significant hospitalisations, etc

# Mental health or Cognitive impairment

- When first diagnosed?
- o Family history?
- o Current medications and treatment
- o History of treatment: school assistance; hospitalisations

### Drug & alcohol use

- o Related to the offending?
- Current (pre-custody) usage
- History of use age of starting
- Reasons for starting
- o Rehab attempts

# Criminal history

- O Why did client start to offend?
- o Explain patterns of escalation, de-escalation
- Explain any gaps in record

## Time in custody

- o Courses completed
- Work/employment
- Hardship experienced in prison (e.g. protection; assaults; limited access to family due to Covid, etc)
- o Continued illicit drug use?
- Disciplinary issues

# Post-release plans

- o Family support
- Work prospects
- Housing

- o Treatment
- Attitude to the offending &/or the victims
- Attitude and commitment to rehabilitation

# 5. Preparing Sentence Submissions Template

# 1. Objective Factors - what happened

- Circumstances/context of the offending affecting the seriousness of the offences
- Aggravating & mitigating factors
- Objective criminality where the offences fall on the range of seriousness

# 2. Subjective Factors - why it happened

- Timing of the plea & evidence of remorse
- Expressions of remorse/attitude to the offences
- Criminal history
  - Any positive achievements while in custody: courses, work, reduction in disciplinary action, etc.
- Background and relevant attributes of the offender: (for e.g.)
  - o D&A
  - Mental health
  - Severe disadvantage (Bugmy)
- Prospects of rehabilitation & future/post-release plans (why it won't happen again)
  - Why things will be different this time what will change
  - What has client done well in the past that demonstrates capacity/willingness to rehabilitate

# 3. Relevant Sentencing Principles

- Sections 3A & 5 C(SP)A
- Guideline judgement
- Principles specific to these offences or this offender's circumstances
  - (e.g. s 58 C(SP)A; rehab counting as quasi-custody; De La Rosa mental health considerations)

### 4. Specific Issues relating to Imprisonment

- Pre-sentence custody
- Rehab time as quasi-custody
- Start date of sentence
- Section 58 C(SP)A
- Accumulation or concurrency
- Special circumstances

# 5. The penalty

- The maximum penalty on indictment and the jurisdictional maximum penalty
- The specific penalty sought
- Consequential/ancillary orders

# 6. Sentencing Options Table

# The new sentencing legislation: Intensive Correction Orders (ICO), Community Correction Orders (CCO); Conditional Release Orders (CRO)

<u>Overview</u>	ICO	cco	CRO
General			
Is it a sentence of imprisonment?	Yes	No	No
Is a conviction recorded?	Yes	Yes	Discretion
Is a future start date possible?	Yes <sup>1</sup>	No	No
Is a fine in addition possible?	Yes	Yes	No
Breaches & condition variations dealt with by:	SPA <sup>2</sup>	Court	Court
Maximum length			
Single offence	2 y	3 y	2 y
Aggregate or accumulated total	3 y	n/a	n/a
Preconditions / Exclusions / Requirements			
Prerequisite: sentenced to imprisonment	Yes	No	No
At least one additional condition required	Yes <sup>3</sup>	No	No
Offenders under 18 y.o. excluded	Yes⁴	No	No
Particular offences excluded	Yes	No	No
Must live in NSW or approved jurisdiction	Yes	Depends <sup>5</sup>	Depends <sup>5</sup>
Restrictions for domestic violence offences	Yes	No <sup>6</sup>	No <sup>6</sup>
Report required:			
for making a general order	Usually <sup>7</sup>	No	No
for Home Detention	Yes <sup>8</sup>	n/a	n/a
for Community Service Work	Yes	Yes	n/a
Additional conditions available			
Supervision	(Standard)	Yes <sup>5</sup>	Yes⁵
Home Detention (only if suitable)	Yes	No	No
Electronic Monitoring	Yes	No	No
Curfew	Yes	Yes (12/24hr)	No
Community Service Work (only if suitable)	Yes <sup>9</sup> (750hrs)	Yes <sup>9</sup> (500hrs)	No
Alcohol/Drug Abstention	Yes	Yes	Yes
Non-association	Yes	Yes	Yes
Place restriction	Yes	Yes	Yes
Program/treatment	Yes	Yes	Yes

But only if accumulated upon another sentence being served by ICO (s71) - and subject to the overall length limit of 3 years.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The State Parole Authority

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> At least one additional condition must be imposed, unless there is a finding of exceptional circumstances (s73A(1) and (1A)).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> s7(3): "an offender who is under the age of 18 years". This probably means age at time of sentence not offence but it is not clear. <sup>5</sup> Supervision is subject to the offender living in NSW or an approved jurisdiction. For Community Service Work on a CCO see note 9.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> While there are no restrictions as such, the court must generally impose supervision (s4A) and must consider the safety of the victim before making an order (s4B(3)).

General rule (s17D(1)): a court must not make an ICO without an assessment report. Exception (s17D(1A): if satisfied that it has sufficient information to justify making an ICO without a report.

By The Home Detention assessment must be ordered after the term of the sentence of imprisonment has been set.

<sup>9</sup> Community Service Work is subject to the offender living in NSW or an approved jurisdiction or satisfying the court that they are willing and able to travel to NSW to undertake the work. Offenders who were under 18 at the time of the offence and under 21 at the time of sentence cannot get CSW on a CCO (s8(2)). However, it seems there is no such restriction on CSW on an ICO for such an offender.

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Navigating th	e legislation		
	ICO	cco	CRO
Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999			
Power to impose	7; 66	8	9
Maximum term	68	85	95
Procedures and restrictions generally	64-73B	84-91	94-100
Restrictions for particular offences	67	:-	-
Standard Conditions (mandatory)	73	88	98
Additional Conditions (optional statutory)	73A	89	99
Further Conditions (optional tailored to offender)	73B	90	99A
Court varying conditions after sentence	-	89-91	99-100
Discretion not to proceed to conviction	=	=	9(2); 10(1)(b)
Reports and when they are required		17B-17D	
What happens with multiple orders		17E-17H	
Domestic Violence Offenders		4A, 4B	
Conversion of existing sentences	Schedule	2, Part 29, Claus	ses 71-78
Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999	ICO	cco	CRO
SPA varying conditions after sentence	81	H	æ
Breach proceedings	162-164A	107C-D	108C-D

What happens to existing sentences from commencement (24 September 2018)								
Existing Sentence	Converts to							
ICO	→ new ICO							
HDO	→ ICO with Home Detention condition							
CSO	→ CCO with Community Service Work condition							
s9 bond	→ CCO							
s10(1)(b) bond	→ CRO							
s12 bond (suspended sentence)	# Stands, but if revoked → new ICO or gaol							

### Act and Regulations

Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Amendment (Sentencing Options) Act 2017 - https://www.legislation.nsw.gov.au/#/view/act/2017/53

Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Regulation 2017

Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Amendment (Community-based Orders and Other Matters) Regulation 2018

Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Regulation 2014

Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Amendment (Community-based Orders and Other Matters) Regulation 2018

### Helpful cases and references

R v Pogson (2012) 82 NSWLR 60

Boulton v The Queen; Clements v The Queen; Fitzgerald v The Queen (2014) 46 VR 308

DPP (NSW) v Jones [2017] NSWCCA 164

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# 7. Traffic Matters Cheat Sheet

# Road Trip 3.0

An abbreviated guide to Road Transport Legislation in New South Wales

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## Abbreviations/meanings

M	Offence is a major offence for the purposes of the Road Transport Act 2013. A major offence is defined in s 4 of the Road Transport Act 2013.
IS	Offence is caught by s 224 of the Road Transport Act 2013 and as such a police officer may issue an immediate licence suspension notice.
RTA	Road Transport Act 2013
RT(DL)R	Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Regulation 2017
MACA	Motor Accidents Compensation Act 1999
LEPRA	Law Enforcement (Powers and Responsibilities) Act 2002

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			Road Transp	ort Act 2013					
			First	offence		Seco	ond or subs	equent offer	nce <sup>1234</sup>
Offence and section		Maximun	n penalty	Disqual	lification	Maximur	n penalty	Disqual	lification
		lmp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.
53(1)(a)	Drive without being licensed	Nil	\$2,200	Nil	Nil	No provisio	on for 'second	l or subseque	nt offence' -
		s53(1)	) RTA	No auto or	min period –	penalties	and disqualif	ications for 'fi	rst offence'
		w 1		such period	as the court		a	pply	
				specifies - s	s204(1) RTA		N		
53(3)	Drive without being licensed –	Nil	\$2,200	Nil	Nil	6 M	\$3,300	12 M	3 M
	never been licensed <sup>5</sup>	s53(3	) RTA	No auto or	min period –	s53(3	B) RTA	s205	A RTA
				such period as the court					
				specifies - s204(1) RTA					
54(1)(a)	Drive whilst disqualified	6 M	\$3,300	6 M	3 M	12 M	\$5,500	12 M	6 M
W 8533 KHS		s54(1)	) RTA	s205A RTA		s54(1) RTA		s205A RTA	
54(1)(b)	Make application for driver	6 M	\$3,300	Nil <sup>6</sup>	Nil	12 M	\$5,500	Nil <sup>6</sup>	Nil
	licence during disqualification	s54(1	) RTA	No auto or min period – such period as the court		s54(1	) RTA	No auto or	min period
	and omit to mention					1000 de		- such pe	riod as the
	disqualification etc			specifies - s204(1) RTA				court sp	oecifies -
								s204(	1) RTA
54(3)(a)	Drive on road whilst	6 M	\$3,300	6 M	3 M	12 M	\$5,500	12 M	6 M
	suspended (other than for non- payment of fine)	s54(3)	) RTA	s205	A RTA	s54(3	B) RTA	s205,	A RTA
54(3)(b)	Make application for driver	6 M	\$3,300	Nil <sup>6</sup>	Nil	12 M	\$5,500	Nil <sup>6</sup>	Nil
	licence during period of	s54(3	) RTA	No auto or	min period –	s54(3	B) RTA	No auto or	min period
	suspension and omit to				as the court			- such pe	riod as the
	mention suspension etc			specifies - s	s204(1) RTA			court sp	oecifies -
								s204(	1) RTA

<sup>1</sup> For the purposes of determining whether a **major offence** is a second or subsequent offence: an offence will be regarded as a second or subsequent offence if, at the time of the conviction or during the period of 5 years before the conviction, the offender is or has been convicted of one or more other major offences (whether of the same or a different kind): ss 9(5)(d) & 205(3) *Road Transport Act* 2013

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purposes of determining whether an offence contrary to s53(3) Drive without being licensed – never licensed is a second or subsequent offence: an offence will be regarded as a second or subsequent offence if during the period of 5 years before the conviction the offender has been convicted of an offence against the same provision: s 9(2) Road Transport Act 2013.

To the purposes of determining whether an offence contrary to ss 54(1) Drive on road whilst disqualified etc, 54(3) Drive on road whilst suspended (other than for non-payment of fine) etc and 54(4) Drive on

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For the purposes of determining whether an offence contrary to ss 54(1) Drive on road whilst disqualified etc, 54(3) Drive on road whilst suspended (other than for non-payment of fine) etc: an offence will be regarded as a second or subsequent offence if during the period of 5 years before the conviction the offender has been convicted of: an offence against either ss 54(1), (3) or (4); an offence against s.53(3) Drive without being licensed – never licensed; or a major offence: ss 9(2) & 9(5)(a)-(c) Road Transport Act 2013.

For the purposes of determining whether an offence contrary to s54(5) Drive on road whilst suspended or cancelled for non-payment of fine is a second or subsequent offence: an offence will be regarded as a second or subsequent offence if during the period of 5 years before the conviction the offender has been convicted of an offence against the same provision: s9(2) Road Transport Act 2013

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> A person has never been licensed in connection with an offence if the person has not held a driver licence (or equivalent) of any kind in Australia for the period of at least 5 years immediately before the commission of the offence: s53(5) Road Transport Act 2013.

Section 205A Table items 2 and 4 specify 'Section 54(1), (3) or (4) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> while disqualified, suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or cancelled for non-payment of fine)' respectively and so arguably do <u>not</u> apply to offences under ss 54(1)(b), 54(3)(b), 54(5)(a)(ii) and 54(5)(b)(ii) that do not involve Figure 2 of 12

			Road	Transport A	Act 2013 (con	it.)				
				First o	offence				sequent offe	nce
Offence and section			Maximum penalty		Disqualification		Maximum penalty		Disqualification	
			Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	lmp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.
54(4)(a)	Drive on road whilst cancelled		6 M	\$3,300	6 M	3 M	12 M	\$5,500	12 M	6 M
	(other than for non-payment of fine) or after licence refused		s54(4	) RTA	s205	A RTA	s54(4	) RTA	s205A RTA	
54(4)(b)	Make application for driver		6 M	\$3,300	Nil <sup>7</sup>	Nil	12 M	\$5,500	Nil	Nil
	licence to which the cancelled licence or the refused application related and omit to mention cancellation etc		s54(4	) RTA	such period	min period – as the court s204(1) RTA	s54(4	) RTA	No auto or min pe – such period as court specifies s204(1) RTA	
54(5)(a)(i) <sup>8</sup>	Drive on road whilst suspended		Nil	\$3,300	3 M	1 M	6 M	\$5,500	12 M	3 M
	for non-payment of fine		s54(5	) RTA		A RTA	s54(5	) RTA		A RTA
54(5)(a)(ii) <sup>8</sup>	Make application for driver		Nil	\$3,300	Nil <sup>7</sup>	Nil	6 M	\$5,500	Nil <sup>7</sup>	Nil
00 W W W W W	licence during period of suspension and omit to mention suspension etc		s54(5	) RTA	such period	min period – as the court s204(1) RTA	s54(5) RTA		No auto or min perion  - such period as th  court specifies -  s204(1) RTA	
54(5)(b)(i) <sup>8</sup>	Drive on road whilst cancelled for		Nil	\$3,300	3 M	1 M	6 M	\$5,500	12 M	3 M
	non-payment of fine		s54(5	) RTA	s205/	A RTA	s54(5	) RTA	s205/	A RTA
54(5)(b)(ii) <sup>8</sup>	Make application for driver		Nil	\$3,300	Nil <sup>7</sup>	Nil	6 M	\$5,500	Nil <sup>7</sup>	Nil
	licence to which the cancelled licence related and omit to mention cancellation etc		s54(5	) RTA	such period	min period – as the court s204(1) RTA	s54(5	) RTA	- such pe court sp	min period riod as the pecifies - 1) RTA
68(1)	Use unregistered vehicle on road		Nil	\$2,200	Nil	Nil			or subseque	
			s68(1		such period	min period – as the court s204(1) RTA	penalties and disqualif		pply	Section 1992/1994 19
110(1)(a)	Novice driver drive with novice	М	Nil	\$2,200	6 M	3 M	Nil	\$3,300	12 M	6 M
	range prescribed concentration of alcohol [0.001-0.019]	IS	s110(1 COURT E	I) RTA LECTION	s205(2)	)(a) RTA	s110(1	I) RTA	Max 3 M	Min 1 M (a) RTA
110(2)(a)	Special category driver drive with	M	Nil	\$2,200	6 M	3 M	Nil	\$3,300	12 M	6 M
special range prescribed concentration of alcohol [0.02-0.049]		IS	s110(2 <u>COURT E</u>	P) RTA LECTION	s205(2)	(a) RTA	s110(2	2) RTA	Max 3 M	Min 1 M (a) RTA

<sup>7</sup> Section 205A Table items 2 and 4 specify 'Section 54(1), (3) or (4) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> while disqualified, suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> while disqualified, suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence suspended or after licence refusal or cancellation)' and 'Section 54(5) – first offence (<u>Driving</u> after licence suspended or after licence suspended or

			Road	Transport A	Act 2013 (con	t.)				
				First of	ffence		Sec	cond or sub	sequent off	ence
	Offence and section		Maximun	n penalty	Disqua	lification	Maximur	n penalty	Disqua	lification
			Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.
110(3)(a)	Drive with low range prescribed	M	Nil	\$2,200	6 M	3 M	Nil	\$3,300	12 M	6 M
	concentration of alcohol	IS	s110(3	) RTA	s205(2	)(a) RTA	s110(	3) RTA	IF INTERLO	CK FOR 12 M:
	[0.05-0.079]		COURT E	<u>LECTION</u>	81.10		10		Max 3 M	Min 1 M
						· ·			s205(	3)(a) RTA
110(4)(a)	Drive with middle range	M	9 M	\$2,200	12 M	6 M	12 M	\$3,300	3 Y	12 M
	prescribed concentration of	IS	s110(4	) RTA	IF INTERLO	CK FOR 12 M:	s110(	4) RTA	IF INTERLO	CK FOR 24 M:
	alcohol   [0.08-0.149]				Max 6 M	Min 3 M			Max 9 M	Min 6 M
						)(b) RTA				)(b) RTA
110(5)(a)	Drive with high range prescribed	M	18 M	\$3,300	3 Y	12 M	2 Y	\$5,500	5 Y	2 Y
	concentration of alcohol	IS	s110(5	) RTA	IF INTERLO	CK FOR 24 M:	s110(	5) RTA	IF INTERLO	CK FOR 48 M:
	[0.15 +]				Max 9 M	Min 6 M	1		Max 12 M	Min 9 M
					s205(2	)(d) RTA			s205(3	)(d) RTA
111(1)(a)	Drive with prescribed illicit drug <sup>9</sup>	M	Nil	\$2,200	6 M	3 M	Nil	\$3,300	12 M	6 M
	in oral fluid, blood or urine		s111(1	) RTA	s205(2	)(a) RTA	s111(	1) RTA	s205(3	)(a) RTA
			COURTE	<u>LECTION</u>						
111(3)(a)	Drive with morphine in blood or	M	Nil	\$2,200	6 M	3 M	Nil	\$3,300	12 M	6 M
	urine		s111(3	) RTA	s205(2	)(a) RTA	s111(	3) RTA	s205(3	)(a) RTA
112(1)	Drive while under influence of	M	18 M	\$3,300	3 Y	12 M	2 Y	\$5,500	5 Y	2 Y
	alcohol or other drug	IS	s112(1	) RTA	s205(2	)(d) RTA	s112(	1) RTA		CK FOR 24 M:
									Max 9 M	Min 6 M
W. p. 40 and										)(d) RTA
115(1)	Organise, promote or take part	IS	Nil	\$3,300	12 M	Nil	9 M	\$3,300	12 M	Nil
	in race, attempt on speed record		s115(1	) RTA	s115(	4) RTA	s115(	1) RTA	s115(	4) RTA
116(1)	Conduct associated with road		Nil	\$1,100	Nil	Nil	No provisio	n for 'second	or subseque	nt offence' –
	and drag racing and other	1 1	s116(1	) RTA	No auto or	min period –	penalties	and the second s	ications for 'fi	rst offence'
	activities					iod as the		a <sub>l</sub>	pply	
						pecifies -				
						1) RTA				
116(2)	Conduct associated with road	IS	Nil	\$3,300	12 M <sup>10</sup>	Nil	9 M	\$3,300	12 M <sup>10</sup>	Nil
	and drag racing and other activities in circumstances of		s116(2	) RTA	s116(	7) RTA	s116(	2) RTA	s116(	7) RTA
	aggravation									

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> "Prescribed illicit drug" is defined in s4 as meaning any of the following: (a) delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol (also known as THC), (b) methylamphetamine (also known as speed), (c) 3,4-methylamphetamine (also known as ecstasy), (d) cocaine.

10 Only applies to subsections (a), (b), (c) and (d). Subsections (e), (f) and (g) do not attract an automatic or minimum disqualification period [s204(1) applies i.e. such period as the court specifies].

			Roa	ad Transport	Act 2013 (coi	nt.)					
				First o	offence			cond or sub			
	Offence and section		Maximur	Maximum penalty		Maximum penalty Disqualification		Maximu	m penalty	Disqualification	
			Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	
117(1)(a)	Drive negligently occasioning	M	18 M	\$3,300	3 Y	12 M	2 Y	\$5,500	5 Y	2 Y	
	death		s117(1)	(a) RTA	s205(2)	(d) RTA	s117(1	)(a) RTA	s205(3	)(d) RTA	
117(1)(b)	Drive negligently occasioning	M	9 M	\$2,200	3 Y	12 M	12 M	\$3,300	5 Y	2 Y	
	grievous bodily harm		s117(1)	(b) RTA		(d) RTA		)(b) RTA		)(d) RTA	
117(1)(c)	Drive negligently <u>not</u>		Nil	\$1,100	Nil	Nil		on for 'second			
	occasioning death or grievous		s117(1)	(c) RTA		min period –	penalties	and disqualifi		rst offence'	
bodily harm					as the court 204(1) RTA		ap	pply			
117(2)	Drive furiously, recklessly or at a	M	9 M	\$2,200	3 Y	12 M	12 M	\$3,300	5 Y	2 Y	
	speed or in a manner dangerous to the public		s117(2	2) RTA	s205(2)	(d) RTA	s117(	2) RTA	s205(3	(d) RTA	
118(1)	Drive in a manner that menaces	M	18 M	\$3,300	3 Y	12 M	2 Y	\$5,500	5 Y	2 Y	
77 X.	with intent to menace		s118(	1) RTA	s205(2)	(d) RTA	s118(	1) RTA		)(d) RTA	
118(2)	Drive in a manner that menaces	M	12 M	\$2,200	3 Y	12 M	18 M	\$3,300	5 Y	2 Y	
	with possibility of menace		s118(2	2) RTA	s205(2)	(d) RTA		2) RTA		)(d) RTA	
146(1)	Fail to stop and give assistance	M	18 M	\$3,300	3 Y	12 M	2 Y	\$5,500	5 Y	2 Y	
	after impact occasioning death or injury			1) RTA	1.0	(d) RTA		(1) RTA	s205(3)(d) RTA		
Sch 3	Refuse or fail to submit to breath		Nil	\$1,100	Nil	Nil		on for 'second			
16(1)(a)	test		cl 16( <sup>-</sup>	1) RTA	such period	min period – as the court 204(1) RTA		and disqualifi ap	pply		
Sch 3	Refuse or fail to submit to breath	M	18 M	\$3,300	3 Y	12 M	2 Y	\$5,500	5 Y	2 Y	
16(1)(b)	analysis	IS	cl 16(1	1) RTA	IF INTERLOC	CK FOR 24 M:	cl 16(	1) RTA	IF INTERLO	CK FOR 48 M	
					Max 9 M Min 6 M				Max 12 M	Min 9 M	
					s205(2)	(d) RTA				)(d) RTA	
Sch 3	Refuse or fail to submit to oral		Nil	\$1,100	Nil	Nil		on for 'second			
16(1)(c)	fluid test		cl 16(	1) RTA		min period –	penalties	and disqualifi	ications for 'fiı	rst offence'	
					such period specifies - s	as the court 204(1) RTA	арр		pply		
Sch 3	Refuse or fail to submit to		Nil	\$1,100	Nil	Nil	No provision	on for 'second	or subseque	nt offence' -	
16(1)(d) sobriety assessment			cl 16(1) RTA		No auto or min period – such period as the court specifies - s204(1) RTA		penalties and disqualifications for 'first offence'				

			Roa	d Transport	Act 2013 (co	nt.)				
				First	offence		Sec	ond or subs	sequent offe	nce
	Offence and section		Maximu	m penalty	Disqualification		Maximum	m penalty Disqualificati		ification
			Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.
Sch 3	Refuse or fail to submit to taking	M	Nil	\$3,300	3 Y	6 M	18 M	\$5,500	5 Y	12 M
17(1)(a)	of blood sample	IS	cl 17(	(1) RTA	s205(2)	)(c) RTA	cl 17(1)	RTA	s205(3)	(c) RTA
Sch 3	Refuse or fail to submit to taking	M	18 M	\$3,300	3 Y	12 M	2 Y	\$5,500	5 Y	2 Y
17(1)(a1)	of blood sample following arrest	IS	cl 17(	(1) RTA		CK FOR 24 M:	cl 17(1)	RTA	IF INTERLO	K FOR 48 M
					Max 9 M	Min 6 M			Max 12 M	Min 9 M
					s205(2)	)(d) RTA			s205(3)	(d) RTA
Sch 3	Refuse or fail to provide oral	M	Nil	\$3,300	3 Y	6 M	18 M	\$5,500	5 Y	12 M
17(1)(b)	fluid sample	IS	cl 17(	(1) RTA	s205(2)	)(c) RTA	cl 17(1)	RTA	s205(3)	(c) RTA
Sch 3	Refuse or fail to provide urine	M	18 M	\$3,300	3 Y	6 M	2 Y	\$5,500	5 Y	12 M
17(1)(c)	sample	IS	cl 17(	(1) RTA	s205(2)	)(c) RTA	cl 17(1)	RTA	s205(3)	(c) RTA
Sch 3	Person other than secondary	M	18 M	\$3,300	3 Y	12 M	2 Y	\$5,500	5 Y	2 Y
17(2)	participant in an accident <sup>11</sup> prevent sample taker from taking blood sample	IS	cl 17(	(2) RTA	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	cl 17(2)	RTA	s205(3)	(d) RTA
Sch 3	Secondary participant in an	M	Nil	\$3,300	3 Y	12 M	Nil	\$3,300	5 Y	2 Y
17(3)	accident prevent sample taker from taking blood sample		cl 17(	(3) RTA	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	cl 17(3) RTA		s205(3)(d) RTA	
Sch 3	Person other than secondary	M	18 M <sup>12</sup>	\$3,300	3 Y	6 M	2 Y	\$5,500	5 Y	12 M
18(1)	participant in an accident wilfully introduce or alter concentration	IS 13	cl 18	(1) RTA	s205(2)	)(c) RTA	cl 17(2)	RTA	s205(3)	(c) RTA
	or amount of alcohol or other drugs									
Sch 3	Secondary participant in an	M	Nil	\$3,300	3 Y	6 M	Nil	\$3,300	5 Y	12 M
18(2)	accident alter concentration of alcohol		cl 18	(2) RTA	s205(2)	)(c) RTA	cl 18(2)	RTA	s205(3)	(c) RTA

<sup>11</sup> Secondary participant in an accident means a person involved in the accident who was: (a) a pedestrian, or (b) driving or riding a vehicle (other than a motor vehicle or a horse): cl17(5)
12 Only applies to subclauses (a), (b), (e), (f) and (g). The maximum penalty for subclauses (c) and (d) is a fine of \$3,300 (in the case of a first offence) or a fine of \$5,500 (in the case of a second or subsequent offence).

13 Only applies to subclauses (a), (b) and (e): s224(1)(b) Road Transport Act 2013.

				Road Rule	es 2014						
				First o	ffence		Sec	ond or sub	sequent offe	nce	
	Offence and section		Maximur	n penalty	Disqua	lification	Maximur	n penalty	Disqualification		
			Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	
10-2(3)	Exceed speed limit by more	IS	Nil	\$3,300 <sup>14</sup>	6 M	6 M	No provisio	n for 'second	or subsequer	uent offence' -	
	than 45 km per hour			-2(3)(a) ules 2014		)-2(3)(b) ules 2014	penalties and disqualifications for 'firs apply		st offence'		
10-2(5)	Exceed speed limit by more than 30 km per hour	IS <sup>15</sup>		<b>\$2,200</b> -2(5)(a) ules 2014		3 M 0-2(5)(b) ules 2014	No provision for 'second or subsequent offence penalties and disqualifications for 'first offence apply				
10-2(6)	Exceed speed limit by 30 km per hour or less			\$2,200 -2(6)(a) ules 2014	such period	Nil min period – I as the court s204(1) RTA	apply				

Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Regulation 2017											
				First o	offence		Second or subsequent offence				
	Offence and section		Maximu	Maximum penalty		Disqualification		Maximum penalty		ification	
			Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	
15(1)(a)	Learner licence holder drive unaccompanied by supervised driver	IS	Nil s15(1)	<b>\$2,200</b> RT(DL)R	3 M <sup>16</sup> 15(3) & (4)	3 M RT(DL)R	No provision for 'second or subsequent offen penalties and disqualifications for 'first offer apply				
15(1)(b)	Learner licence holder drive whilst failing to display 'L' plates		Nil s15(1)	<b>\$2,200</b> RT(DL)R	Nil No provision for 'second or subsequent penalties and disqualifications for 'first apply specifies - s204(1) RTA						

Motor Accidents Compensation Act												
				First o	offence	Second or subsequent offer			nce			
	Offence and section		Maximum penalty		Disqualification		Maximum penalty		Disqualification			
			Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.		
8(1)(a)	Use uninsured motor vehicle		Nil	\$5,500	No power to	disqualify	No provision for 'second or subsequent offence		nt offence' –			
			s8(1)	MACA			penalties and disqualifications for 'first offence' apply		st offence'			
8(1)(b)	Permit another to use		Nil	\$5,500	No power to	disqualify	No provision for 'second or subsequent offence' penalties and disqualifications for 'first offence'		nt offence' –			
	uninsured motor vehicle		s8(1)	MACA					st offence'			
							apply					

<sup>14 \$5,500</sup> in the case of a "heavy motor vehicle" or "coach": rule 10-2(3)(a)) – see rule 10-2(1) for definition of "heavy motor vehicle".

15 Applies only where driver is the holder of an applicable learner or provisional licence for the class of vehicle being driven: s224(1)(c)(2) Road Transport Act 2013.

16 Note: The maximum period of disqualification that can be imposed for this offence is 12 months: cl15(4)(a) Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Regulation 2017

				Crimes A	ct 1900 <sup>17</sup>					
			First offence				Second or subsequent offence			
	Offence and section		Maximum penalty		Disqualification		Maximum penalty		Disqualification	
			Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.
18(1)(a) /	Murder	M	Life	\$110K	3 Y	12 M	Life	\$110K	5 Y	2 Y
19A		IS		rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s19A(1) Cr		s205(3)	
24	Manslaughter	M	25 Y	\$110K	3 Y	12 M	25 Y	\$110K	5 Y	2 Y
		IS	s24 Cri	mes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s24 Crim	nes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
33(1)	Wound or cause GBH with	M	25 Y	\$110K	3 Y	12 M	25 Y	\$110K	5 Y	2 Y
S32X 760	intent to cause GBH	IS	s33(1) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s33(1) Cri	mes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
33(2)	Wound or cause GBH with	M	25 Y	\$110K	3 Y	12 M	25 Y	\$110K	5 Y	2 Y
	intent to resist or prevent lawful arrest or detention	IS	s33(2) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s33(2) Cri	mes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
35(1)	Recklessly cause GBH in	M	14 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	14 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y
	company		s35(1) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s35(1) Cri	mes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
35(2)	Recklessly cause GBH	M	10 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	10 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y
	270	IS	s35(2) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s35(2) Cri	mes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
35(3)	Reckless wounding in	M	10 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	10 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y
	company		s35(3) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s35(3) Cri	mes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
35(4)	Reckless wounding	M	7Y/2Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	7 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y
			s35(4) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s35(4) Cri	mes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
51A(1)	Predatory driving	M	5 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	5 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y
			s51A(1) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s51A(1) Cr	rimes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
51B(1)	Police pursuits	M	3 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	5 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y
			s51B(1) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s51B(1) Cr	rimes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
52A(1)	Dangerous driving	M	10 Y	\$110K	3 Y	12 M	10 Y	\$110K	5 Y	2 Y
	occasioning death	IS	s52A(1) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s52A(1) Cr	rimes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
52A(2)	Aggravated dangerous	M	14 Y	\$110K	3 Y	12 M	14 Y	\$110K	5 Y	2 Y
	driving occasioning death	IS	s52A(2) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s52A(2) Cr	rimes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
52A(3)	Dangerous driving	M	7 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	7 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y
10.00 (CD)	occasioning GBH	IS	s52A(3) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s52A(3) Cr	rimes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
52A(4)	Aggravated dangerous	M	11 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	11 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y
	driving occasioning GBH	IS	s52A(4) C	rimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s52A(4) Cr	rimes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA
52AB(1)	Fail to stop and assist after	M	10 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	10 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y
	vehicle impact causing death		s52AB(1)	Crimes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s52AB(1) C	rimes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA

<sup>17</sup> An offence under the Crimes Act 1900 will constitute a major offence only where another person caused by or arising out of the use of a motor vehicle driven by the person at the time of the occurrence out of which the (i) the crime of murder or manslaughter or (ii) an offence against section 33, 35, 53 or 54 or any other provision of the Crimes Act 1900, and to persons convicted of an offence against section 51A, 51B or 52AB of the Crimes Act 1900: s4 Road Transport Act 2013.

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	Crimes Act 1900 (cont.) <sup>18</sup>											
				First o	ffence	Second or subsequent offence						
	Offence and section		Maximur	n penalty	Disqua	Disqualification		penalty	Disqualification			
		Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.			
52AB(2)	Fail to stop and assist after	M	7 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	7 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y		
5.550 - 5.550	vehicle impact causing GBH		s52AB(2)	Crimes Act	s205(2)	(d) RTA	s52AB(2) C	rimes Act	s205(3)	d) RTA		
53	Cause bodily harm by furious	M	2 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	2Y/2Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y		
	driving		s53 Cri	mes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s53 Crim	nes Act	s205(3)(	d) RTA		
54	Cause grievous bodily harm by	M	2 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	3 Y	12 M	2 Y / 2 Y	\$11K	5 Y	2 Y		
	unlawful or negligent act	IS	s54 Cri	mes Act	s205(2)	)(d) RTA	s54 Crim	nes Act	s205(3)	(d) RTA		

	Law Enforcement (Powers and Responsibilities) Act 2002 <sup>19</sup>										
				offence	•	Second or subsequent offence					
	Offence and section		n penalty	Disqua	Disqualification		Maximum penalty		Disqualification		
		Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.	Imp.	Fine	Auto.	Min.		
15(1)	Driver fail/refuse to comply with request to disclose own identity to police	<b>12 M</b> s15(1)	<b>\$5,500</b> LEPRA	No power	to disqualify	No provision for 'second or subsequent offence' penalties and disqualifications for 'first offence' apply					
15(2)	Driver fail/refuse to comply with request to disclose identity of other driver or passenger to police	12 M s15(2)	<b>\$5,500</b> LEPRA	No power	to disqualify	No provision for 'second or subsequent offence' – penalties and disqualifications for 'first offence' apply					
16(1)	Passenger fail/refuse to comply with request to disclose own identity to police	12 M s16(1)	<b>\$5,500</b> LEPRA	No power	to disqualify	No provision for 'second or subsequent offence' – penalties and disqualifications for 'first offence' apply					
16(2)	Passenger fail/refuse to comply with request to disclose identity of driver or other passenger to police	12 M s16(2)	<b>\$5,500</b> LEPRA	No power	to disqualify	No provision for 'second or subsequent offence' – penalties and disqualifications for 'first offence' apply					
17(1)	Owner fail/refuse to comply with request to disclose identity of driver or passenger to police	<b>12 M</b> s17(1)	<b>\$5,500</b> LEPRA	No power	to disqualify	No provision for 'second or subsequent offence penalties and disqualifications for 'first offence apply					
18	Give false name or address in response to request by police (in accordance with s14)	<b>12 M</b> s18 L	<b>\$5,500</b> .EPRA	No power t	to disqualify		n for 'second and disqualifi ap				

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19 Note: Sections 15-18 are predicated on a request being made by a police officer who suspects on reasonable grounds that a vehicle is being, or was, or may have been used in or in connection with an indictable offence: s14 *Law Enforcement (Powers and Responsibilities) Act* 2002.

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### Commencement dates for disqualification periods

### Major offences under the Road Transport Act 2013

A period of disqualification imposed by or under s205 of the Road Transport Act 2013 <u>must</u> commence on the date of conviction: s205 Road Transport Act 2013; Roads and Traffic Authority of New South Wales v Tamara O'Sullivan and others [2011] NSWSC 1258.

Where a driver has had their licence suspended pursuant to s224 of the *Road Transport Act* 2013, the court <u>must</u> take into account the period of suspension when deciding whether to make an order under s205 *Road Transport Act* 2013, or whether to make an order for a related offence (one that relates to the same act or omission which gave rise to the major offence). To the extent (if any) that the court so orders, such a suspension may be regarded as satisfying all or part of any mandatory minimum period of disqualification required by that section: s206B *Road Transport Act* 2013.

Where a driver is disqualified as a result of being convicted for a major offence <u>and</u> sentenced to full-time imprisonment <u>as a result of that conviction</u>, the disqualification period is extended by any period of imprisonment that is served after the commencement of the disqualification: s206A *Road Transport Act* 2013. Where a major disqualification offence is one of a number of offences dealt with by the imposition of an aggregate sentence, the sentence for the purpose of determining the period by which the disqualification is extended is the aggregate sentence: *Gray v R* [2018] NSWCCA 39 at [43].

#### Other offences under the Road Transport Act 2013

A period of disqualification begins on the date of conviction, unless the court orders the disqualification to begin on a later day: s207A Road Transport Act 2013.

Where a driver has had their licence suspended pursuant to s224 of the *Road Transport Act* 2013, the court <u>must</u> take into account the period of suspension when deciding whether to make an order under s207A *Road Transport Act* 2013, or whether to make an order for a related offence (one that relates to the same act or omission which gave rise to the principal offence). To the extent (if any) that the court so orders, such a suspension may be regarded as satisfying all or part of any mandatory minimum period of disqualification required by that section: s206B *Road Transport Act* 2013.

Where a driver is disqualified as a result of being convicted for an offence under ss 115 or 116(2) Road Transport Act 2013 and sentenced to full-time imprisonment as a result of that conviction, the disqualification period is extended by any period of imprisonment that is served after the commencement of the disqualification: s206A Road Transport Act 2013. Where the offence under ss 115 or 116(2) Road Transport Act 2013 is one of a number of offences dealt with by the imposition of an aggregate sentence, the sentence for the purpose of determining the period by which the disqualification is extended is the aggregate sentence: Gray v R [2018] NSWCCA 39 at [43].

#### Offence of exceeding the speed limit contrary to rule 10-2 of the Road Rules 2014

A period of disqualification imposed by or under this rule must commence on the date of conviction: rule 10-2(9) Road Rules 2014.

	Miscellaneous						
Calculation of disqualification periods in cases of multiple major offences arising out of the one incident	Where a person is convicted of two or more major offences arising out of a single incident, the maximum period of automatic disqualification of all of those offences is 3 years with a minimum period of disqualification of 12 months if s205(2) of the <i>Road Transport Act</i> applies (i.e. the person has no previous major offence) and a maximum period of automatic disqualification of 5 years with a minimum period of disqualification of 2 years if s205(3) of the <i>Road Transport Act</i> applies (i.e. the person has a previous major offence): s205(4) <i>Road Transport Act</i> 2013.						
Section 10 Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999 not available in certain circumstances	Section 10 of the <i>Crimes</i> (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999 does not apply where a person is charged with an 'applicable offence' mentioned in s203(2) of the Road Transport Act 2013 (includes most major offences) and at the time of or during the period of 5 years immediately before the court's determination in respect of the charge, that section is or has been applied to or in respect of the person in respect of a charge for another applicable offence (whether of the same or a different kind): s203 Road Transport Act 2013.						
Alternative verdicts in prosecutions for speeding by more than 30 km per hour and 45 km per hour	See rule 10-2(7) & (8) of the <i>Road Rules</i> 2014.						
Habitual traffic offenders – generally	The Habitual Offenders scheme (previously contained in Division 3 of Part 7.4 of the <i>Road Transport Act</i> 2013) has been abolished. Savings, transitional and other provisions relating to the scheme are contained in Schedule 4.  Dixon v Attorney General of NSW [2018] NSWSC 1618  1.The Local Court continues to hold a power to quash HTODs under s220 RTA (as repealed)(pursuant to Cl65(2) Schedule 4 RTA (savings and transitional provisions): [20]-[21].  2.There is no temporal limitation to the exercise of the power – it is not limited to applications brought before the repeal of the substantive division on 28 October 2017: [21]-[25]  3.The lack of discrete application provision did not deny an applicant access to the power: see s44 LCA [26]-[30]						
Removal of licence disqualifications	removed, provided they have been offence free for the The Local Court must take into account a number of fa	ns cannot be made within 12 months after the Local Court ny of those licence disqualifications: s 221C(4)					
	Convicted of Major offence Exceed speed > 30km/h Road racing ss 115(1) or 116(2) Negligent, furious or reckless driving s117(2), or Any other offence prescribed by the statutory rules All other cases (unless never eligible offences) Never eligible offences	Relevant offence-free period 4 years  2 years See s 221A					

## Interlock Orders & Interlock Exemption Orders - Crystal Triggs & Tia Caldwell (ALS NSW/ACT)

#### Interlock Orders

Interlocks are electronic breath testing devices linked to the ignition system of cars, motorcycles and heavy vehicles.

Interlock offences are summarised in the table above p.2-9.

Road users will need to hold an interlock licence or they will be disqualified for 5 years (other than a learner or interlock licence).

Sections 210 and 211 of the RTA states that a court who convicts a person of mandatory interlock offence must make orders of either:

- 1) Mandatory Interlock order (licence disqualification, interlock period)
- 2) Interlock Exemption order

Section 211 states that people who receive mandatory interlock orders and do not enter or complete interlock period will remain disqualified for 5 years from date of conviction.

If the offenders sanction exceeds a disqualification of 5 years, they cannot enter the NSW licensing system unless they have completed the interlock program or period equal to the sanction has past.

Conviction of Offence of Mandatory Interlock Order							
Mandatory Interlock Order	Interlock Exemption Order						
Sentenced to interlock order     Licence disqualification     Apply for licence     Complete interlock period     Return to unrestricted licence  After order is given RMS cannot exempt from the order. It is the offender's obligation to prove grounds for the exemption through the court.	Must prove that they have no access to a vehicle that can install device or have medical condition that they cannot use device.  Offenders who are exempt can choose to enter interlock order if they experience a change of circumstance through calling the RMS (not court).  1. Period of disqualification 2. Drink driving program before applying for licence  Receive interlock exemption  Licence disqualification  Complete sober/drink driving course  Finish disqualification period  Apply for unrestricted licence  Return to unrestricted licence						

# 8. Sentencing Options and Equivalents Cheat Sheet

NSW Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Amendments 2018	NSW Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999	COMMONWEALTH Crimes Act 1914	CHILDREN Children (Criminal Proceedings) act 1987
Dismissal of Charge without conviction: s10 (1) (a)	Dismissal of Charge without conviction: s10 (1) (a)	Section 19B(1)(c)	Section 33 (1)(a)
Conditional Release Order (CRO): s10 (1) (b) - s9 can be with or w/o conviction can be up to 2 years can be for fine only offence	Conditional Discharge without conviction: s10 (1) (b) / (c)	Section 198 (1)(d)  Can include reparation, but not payment of fine Recognizance order must not exceed 3 yrs	Section 33 (1)(a)(ii)  • Can be up to 2 years
• Current penalty unit is \$110	• Current penalty unit is \$110	Section 4B  • Penalty unit is \$180	Section 33 (1)(c)  • Maximum \$1,1000
Community Corrections Order (CCO) s 8 Term of bond must not exceed 3 years Can not be for fine only offence With conviction Max CSO of 500 hours	Good behaviour bond: s9 Term of bond must not exceed 5 years	Section 20 (1)(a)  Referred to as 'conditional release after conviction'  Can include reparation or payment of fine Must not exceed 5 years	Section 33 (1)(b) or Section 33 (1)(e)  Must not exceed 2 years  Cannot include condition requiring payment of fine  S33 (1)(e) probation bonds are considered more serious form of children's court bond
Deferral of Sentence: s 11 Maximum period of adjournment is 12 months	Deferral of Sentence: s 11 Maximum period of adjournment is 12 months	No Cth equivalent	Section 33 (1)(c)(2)
Community service is now part of CCO & ICO (cl 14 regs) Number of hours must not exceed 750 (s17G) 6 mths duration = 100 hours 12 month duration = 100-300 hours 18 month duration = 300-500 hours (CCO max) 2 year max = 500-750 hours (ICO only)	Community Service Order: s 8  Number of hours must not exceed 500  < 6 mths max = 100 hours  < 6 mths but < 1 year max = 200 hours  > 1 year max = 500 hours	Section 20AB(1)  Picks up state provisions  Court can make orders for fines under s20AB(4)  Breach dealt with under s 20AC	Section 33 (1)(f)  Maximum number of hours is 100 if <16yrs  Maximum number of hours is 250 if >16yrs
Abolished	Suspended Sentences: s 12 Applies to sentences of imprisonment of not more than 2 years	Section 20(1)(b)  • Aka 'Recognizance Release Order'  • Suspension of sentence may be immediate (ie forthwith) or partial (after serving a specified period of time in custody)	Section 33 (1B)
ICO (Intensive Corrections Order) s7 - ICO limited to 2 years per offence, but can be up to 3 years as an aggregate( s68) -Supervision mandatory( s73)	Intensive Corrections Order: s7	Section 20AB  • Can receive ICO for Cth offence	
Home Detention is now part of ICO's – s73A(2)(a)	Home Detention: s 6	Section 20AB     Can receive home detention for Cth offence	
Imprisonment s5 threshold must be crossed – no other alternative	Imprisonment s5 threshold must be crossed – no other alternative	Imprisonment s17A: all alternatives have been considered, and no other sentence is available	Section 33 (1) (g)  Maximum of 2 years  Applies where wholly inappropriate to deal with person under subsection (1)(a)-(f): s33(2)



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