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Control of Weapons Act 1990

DESIGNATED AREA SEARCH NOTICE

The public place area depicted on the map overleaf has been declared in writing to be a 'designated area' by an Assistant Commissioner of Police under section 10D or section 10E of the **Control of Weapons Act 1990** (the Act).

That declaration is in place between 10.00 am and 11.59 pm on Friday 27 September 2019.

Police officers and protective services officers are empowered to search a person and any thing in the possession or control of the person, or a vehicle for weapons.

You, your vehicle or thing in your possession are in a public place within a designated area.

A police officer or protective services officer intends to conduct a limited search of you or your vehicle/things.

- You are requested to co-operate with that search;
- You may be requested to remove items of outer clothing such as headwear, scarves, jackets, etc;
- You may be searched using an electronic wand;
- You may be requested to remove items from any bags or pockets;
- You may be given a 'pat down' search.

A police officer may also exercise their power under the Act to request you to remove any article covering your face or direct you to leave the designated area if you refuse to remove the face covering, or if the police officer reasonably believes that you intend to engage in conduct that would constitute an affray under section 195H, **Crimes Act 1958** or violent disorder under section 195I, **Crimes Act 1958**.

Attention – Offence

It is an offence under the Act to:

- obstruct or hinder a police officer or protective services officer in the exercise of a power to stop and search a person.
- fail to comply with a direction given by a police officer to remove a face covering or to leave the designated area.

SPECIAL



Declaration of designated area under section 10D or section 10E of the **Control of Weapons Act 1990** a designated area containing:

All public places within the City of Port Phillip that is within the area bounded by and including, Dickens Street, and Port Phillip low tide mark, to intersection of Brighton Road, to the intersection of Brighton Road and Carlisle Street, to the intersection of St Kilda Road and Carlisle Street, to the intersection of St Kilda Road and Union Street, to the intersection of Union Street and Queens Road, to the intersection of Queens Road and Lakeside Drive, to the intersection of Lakeside Drive and Ross Gregory Drive, to the intersection of Ross Gregory Drive and Aughtie Drive, to the intersection of public path located between Lindsay Hassett Oval and Gary Smorgan Oval and Aughtie Drive, direct line from this intersection to the intersection of Canterbury Road and Fraser Street, to the intersection of Fraser Street and Beaconsfield Parade, from the intersection of Beaconsfield Parade and Fraser Street to the Port Phillip low tide mark to Dickens Street and Port Phillip low tide mark. For the removal of doubt this area includes Luna Park, St Kilda Pier, St Kilda Marina, St Kilda Botanical Gardens, Peanut Farm Reserve, the St Kilda Foreshore Reserve and Catani Gardens. (Road has the same meaning as in section 3 of the **Road Safety Act 1986**.)

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