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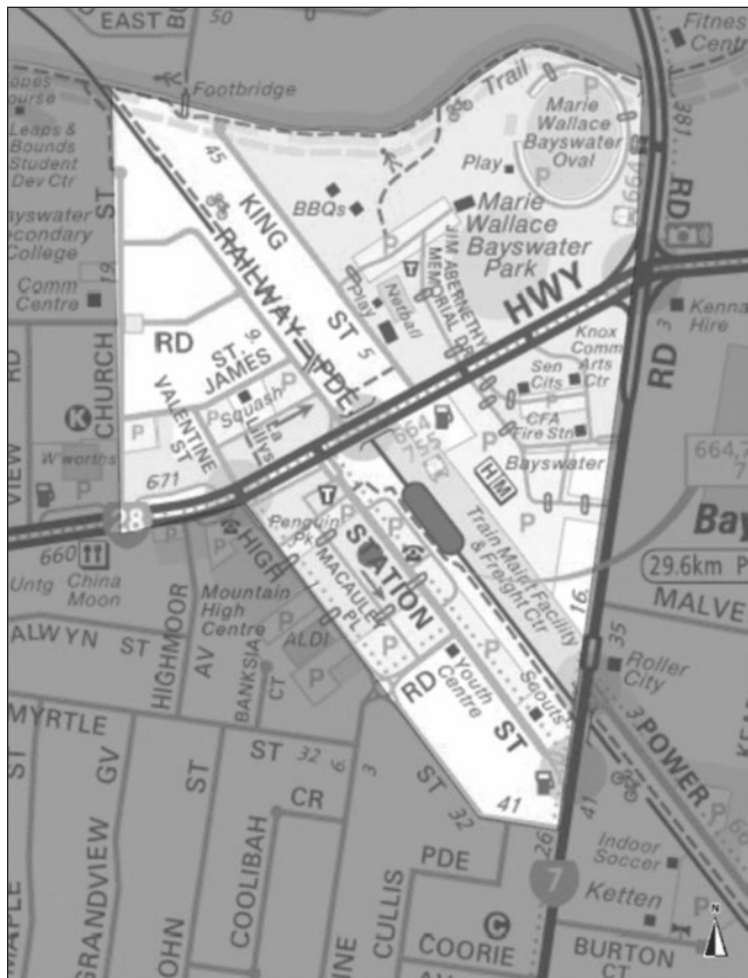
VICTORIA POLICE

Control of Weapons Act 1990

DECLARATION OF DESIGNATED AREA UNDER SECTION 10D(1)

Planned Operation in Bayswater

The Assistant Commissioner, Transit and Public Safety Command, acting as a delegate of the Chief Commissioner of Police under section 10D(1) of the **Control of Weapons Act 1990**, declares as a designated area all public places bound by North: Dandenong Creek Trail, East: Bayswater/Scoresby Roads, South: High Street, West: Mountain Highway/Church Street. Inclusive of Bayswater Railway Station, Mountain Highway Shopping Centre, Bayswater Park.



SPECIAL

This declaration will operate during:

- 1400 hours to 2200 hours Friday 8 April 2022.

During these times members of the police force are authorised to exercise the following powers:

- a) in a public place in the designated area, without warrant, stop and search for weapons:
 - i. any person;
 - ii. any thing in the possession or control of the person;
 - iii. any vehicle with a person in or on the vehicle;
 - iv. and any thing in or on such vehicle.
 - b) detain a person or vehicle for so long as is reasonably necessary to conduct a search;
 - c) seize and detain any item the member reasonably suspect is a weapon;
 - d) request a person who is the subject of a full search to disclose his or her identity;
 - e) direct a person to leave the designated area if the police officer reasonably believes the person is wearing the face covering primarily to
 - i. conceal their identity; or
 - ii. to protect them from the effects of a crowd control substance; and the person refuses to remove the face covering when requested to do so;
 - f) direct the person to leave the designated area if the police officer reasonably believes the person intends to engage in conduct that would constitute an affray (section 195H **Crimes Act 1958**) or violent disorder (section 195I **Crimes Act 1958**).
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