CHAPTER

# ROCKHAMPTON CITY PLAN PLANNING SCHEME FOR THE CITY OF ROCKHAMPTON

# **ENVIRONMENTAL NUISANCE BY NOISE AND LIGHT CODE**

## 1 Purpose of the Code

The purpose of this Code is to:

- ensure that the amenity and environmental integrity of an area is maintained and not adversely impacted upon by excessive noise or light emissions; and
- ensure that the noise or light emitted from any land use does not create an environmental nuisance, as defined in the Environmental Protection Act 1994.

## 2 **Application of the Code**

There are no Secondary Codes to this Code.

#### 3 **Definitions**

There are no definitions specific to this Code.

# 4 **Explanation**

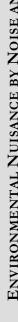
This code sets out the requirements for environmental performance in terms of noise and light emissions.

### 5 **Performance Criteria and Acceptable Solutions**

Performance Criteria		Acceptable Solutions		
No	ise			
P1	All buildings, plant and equipment is designed, constructed, operated and placed so that no environmental nuisance by noise, as defined in the Environmental Protection Act 1994, will occur.	<b>A</b> 1	The noise from premises must not exceed the noise levels set out in the Environmental Protection Regulation 1998.	
Light				
P2	All buildings, plant and equipment is to be designed, constructed,	A2.1	The light from premises must not exceed 8 lux at a distance of 1.5 metres outside the boundary of the site.	
	operated and place	A2.2	OR	
	so that no environmental nuisance by light, as defined in the Environmental Protection Act 1994,		A Light Report, prepared by a suitably qualified person, is required to ensure that the proposed measures to abate the environmental nuisance by light are effective.	

A Noise Report, prepared by a suitably qualified person, is required to ensure that the proposed measures







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will occur.		



