

ORDINANCE NO 79

USE OF LIBRARY

(Last updated 15 March 2002)

The Council of the University of Tasmania makes the following Ordinance under the University of Tasmania Act 1992.

1 Introduction

- 1.1** This ordinance provides for the University Librarian to make Library Rules governing the use of the library, including fines and penalties for late return of library items or damage to them.
- 1.2** This ordinance takes effect on 14 July 2000.

2 Library Rules

- 2.1** The University Librarian may make Library Rules governing the use of the Library, including its premises and its resources.
- 2.2** The Library Rules may provide –
- for penalties and fines not exceeding \$500 for breach of the Library Rules
 - for the payment of the full cost of repair or replacement of any item, by the person who the University Librarian is reasonably satisfied is responsible for the loss of or damage to that item.
- 2.3** In subclause 2.2, “**item**” means any book, issue of a periodical or other print or non-print library material or item of equipment.

3 Undischarged penalties

- 3.1** While a penalty, fine or charge for repair or replacement under the Library Rules remains unpaid by a student, the student may not –
- (a) enrol; or
 - (b) receive any results of assessment; or
 - (c) graduate or receive a diploma or any certificate stating that the student is qualified to graduate or receive a diploma in the university; or
 - (d) receive a certificate of academic record – without the written consent of the Executive Director, Finance and Administration.

4 Council must approve Library Rules

- 4.1** Library Rules made by the University Librarian do not have effect until Council approves them.

5 Breach of certain rules is general misconduct

5.1 A breach of a clause of the Library Rules is an act of general misconduct for the purposes of Ordinance 9 (Student Discipline)¹ only if that particular clause is specified in the Schedule to the Library Rules as one the breach of which amounts to an act of general misconduct.

Made by Council on 14 July 2000.

Sealed with the seal of the University of Tasmania on 2 August 2000.

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¹ Ordinance 9 came into effect February 2003 (revoking Ordinance 58)