

SCHEDULE 1 FIXED PENALTIES

Restriction on proceedings and effect of payment

- 7 (1) The earliest date that proceedings for the offence may be commenced is the day after the payment deadline.
- (2) But no such proceedings may be commenced against a person if—
- (a) the person makes payment of the discounted amount on or before the discounted payment deadline, or
 - (b) the person makes payment of the fixed penalty on or before the payment deadline.
- (3) In proceedings for the offence, a certificate which—
- (a) purports to be signed by or on behalf of a person having responsibility for the financial affairs of the council, and
 - (b) states that payment of an amount specified in the certificate was or was not received by a date so specified,
- is sufficient evidence of the facts stated.