



Supplement to AS 2890.6:2009  
Parking facilities

**Part 6: Off-street car parking for people with disabilities**

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# 1. Introduction

## 1.1 General

All road agencies across Australia are working towards greater consistency between States/Territories in how road networks are managed. In order to achieve this, the Austroads Guide to Traffic Management and Australian Standards relating to traffic management have been adopted to assist in providing that level of consistency and harmonisation across all jurisdictions. This agreement means that these Austroads Guides and the Australian Standards are the primary technical references.

Australian Standards AS 2890.6:2009 – *Parking facilities – Part 6: Off-street car parking for people with disabilities* is a nationally agreed standards document outlining the use of traffic control devices on the road network and has been adopted by all jurisdictions, including VicRoads.

All jurisdictions will be developing their own supplement to clearly identify where its practices currently differ and to provide additional guidance to that contained within AS 2890.6:2009. This document is the VicRoads supplement and shall be read in conjunction with AS 2890.6:2009.

## 1.2 How to Use this Supplement

There are two key parts to this document:

- **Classification of Supplement Information:** this table classifies supplement information as a Departure, Additional Information or both. This information assists with identifying its hierarchy in relation to the Australian Standard.
- **Details of Supplement Information:** this section provides the details of the supplement information.
  - **Departures:** where VicRoads practices differ from the guidance in the Australian Standard. Where this occurs, these differences or 'Departures' will be highlighted in a box. The information inside the box **takes precedence** over the Australian Standard clause. The Australian Standard clause is not applicable in these instances.
  - **Additional Information:** all information not identified as a departure provides further guidance to the Australian Standard and is read and applied **in conjunction** with the Australian Standard clause.

Where a clause does not appear in the body of this supplement, the Australian Standard requirements are followed.

## 2. Classification of Supplement Information

The classification of each clause as a Departure, Additional Information or both is shown in the table below.

Clause	Classification
2.1	Additional Information

Australian Standard requirements are followed for clauses not shown in this table.

### 3. Details of Supplement Information

#### Clause 2.1 GENERAL

For information on the Disabled Persons Parking Scheme, including on issuing and types of disabled parking permits, refer to the 'Disability Parking' section of the VicRoads website (<https://www.vicroads.vic.gov.au/safety-and-road-rules/road-rules/parking-and-clearways/disability-parking>) or from the VicRoads homepage by clicking on Safety & Road Rules > Road rules > Parking & clearways > Disability parking.

Any queries on Disability Parking can be made via [disabledparking@roads.vic.gov.au](mailto:disabledparking@roads.vic.gov.au)

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