Appendix 5. Noise

Except where areas are affected by noise from the Operational Port Area, activities must comply with following noise limits. Noise from the Operational Port Area must comply with the third category below.

5.1 Residential (Inner)

Noise emission levels when measured on any residential site in the Inner Residential Area must not exceed:

Monday to Saturday 7am to 7pm	55dBA(L10)
Monday to Saturday 7pm to 10pm	50dBA(L10)
At all other times	40dBA(L10)
All days 10pm to 7am	70dBA(Lmax)

Where it is impractical to measure outside a dwelling, then measurements shall be made inside (with windows closed). Where indoor measurements are made the noise limits stated above shall be reduced by 15dBA.

5.2 Residential (Outer)

Noise emission levels when measured on any residential site in the Outer Residential Area must not exceed:

Monday to Saturday 7am to 7pm	50dBA(L10)
Monday to Saturday 7pm to 10pm	45dBA(L10)
At all other times	40dBA(L10)
All days 10pm to 7am	65dBA(Lmax)

Where it is impractical to measure outside a dwelling, then measurements shall be made inside (with windows closed). Where indoor measurements are made the noise limits stated above shall be reduced by 15dBA.