

“How many nature based tourism operators breached the conditions of their licence in the 2017 and 2018 calendar years, and to July 31, 2019?”; The nature and location of the breaches listed above?; and the penalties for the above breaches of licence conditions?”.

During this time period, there were a number of commercial operators who were found not to have displayed evidence of paying the appropriate park entry fee (in contravention of the Regulation 37 (4) of the *National Parks and Reserved Land Regulations 2009* - A person driving a vehicle must display a valid ticket, entry pass or other receipt issued in respect of any fee so that it is clearly visible through the windscreen of the vehicle). The issues were dealt with as a breach of the regulations, not as a breach of lease or licence conditions. Operators were issued with a warning.

Notice of Breach – Warning for failure to display valid ticket, entry pass or other receipt

Location	2017	2018	Up to 31 July 2019
Cradle Mountain	1		1
Lake St Clair		1	2
Mt Field	2	2	1
Freycinet	13*	1	
Fortescue Bay		1	
Narrawatapu		1	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>

\* In 2017 five operators who were not displaying a valid ticket, entry pass or other receipt were unable to prove they had paid an entry fee in accordance with Regulations 34(3) and paid the fine – at the time which was around \$80 (Regulation 34(3): A person driving, or in charge of, a vehicle must not take that vehicle onto any reserved land or part of any reserved land unless that person has paid each relevant admission fee.)