43.   Regulations classifying vehicles, drivers, etc.

(1)   The Governor may make regulations —

(a)   classifying motor vehicles for the purposes of this Part;

(aa)   excluding from the authority given by a licence the authority to drive for a purpose or in a manner set out in the regulations unless the licence is expressly endorsed to confer that authority, whether by reference to classes of endorsement described in the regulations or otherwise;

(ab)   prescribing classes of conditions or limitations to which a licence may be made subject by endorsing the licence with a reference to that class instead of setting out the conditions or limitations in full;

(b)   prescribing the minimum ages, subject to section 42, of persons —

(i)   to whom a driver's licence or permit appropriate to a particular description of motor vehicle may be issued; or

(ii)   whose driver's licences may be endorsed under paragraph (aa);

(c)   requiring that an applicant for a driver's licence or permit for specified classes of motor vehicle be the holder for a prescribed period of a driver's licence for such other class or classes of motor vehicle as is or are, respectively, specified in the regulations;

(d)   providing for transitional provisions in relation to the issue of drivers' licences where the Director General has approved a new form of licence under section 42A, including provision for the surrender of existing licences and the issue of licences in a new form in place of existing licences ; and

(e)   providing for what is to be authorized by a licence held by a person who, before an amendment to the regulations, held a licence that operated by reference to a vehicle classification that no longer exists and, where anything that was formerly authorized by the licence ceases to be authorized, making provision to facilitate the obtaining by the person of a licence that authorizes that thing.

[(2)   repealed]

[Section 43 amended by No. 89 of 1978 s.8; No. 11 of 1988 s.6; No. 57 of 1988 s.6; No. 76 of 1996 s.20(3); No. 39 of 2000 s.21.]