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Road Traffic Act 1974

Road Traffic (Drivers' Licences) Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2007

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

1. Citation

These regulations are the *Road Traffic (Drivers' Licences) Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2007*.

2. Commencement

These regulations come into operation as follows:

- (a) regulations 1 and 2 — on the day on which these regulations are published in the *Gazette* (“**Gazettal day**”);
- (b) the rest of the regulations — on the day after Gazettal day.

3. The regulations amended

The amendments in these regulations are to the *Road Traffic (Drivers' Licences) Regulations 1975*.

4. Regulation 5 amended

- (1) Regulation 5(3) is amended as follows:
- (a) in paragraph (b) by inserting after “in which case” —
- “
- , if the holder of the licence has reached 21 years of age,
- ”;
- (b) after paragraph (b) by deleting the full stop and inserting instead —
- “
- ; or
- (c) as of class T, in which case, if the holder of the licence has not reached 21 years of age, the licence confers the authority to drive a motor vehicle to which the licence is appropriate for the purposes of carrying passengers for reward

as a taxi under the *Taxi Act 1994* or the
Transport Co-ordination Act 1966.

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(2) Regulation 5(4) is amended as follows:

- (a) by deleting “or class T”;
- (b) after paragraph (e) by deleting the semicolon and “and” and inserting a full stop instead;
- (c) by deleting paragraph (f);
- (d) after each of paragraphs (a), (b), (c) and (d) by inserting —
“ and ”.

(3) After regulation 5(4) the following subregulation is inserted —

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- (4a) The Director General may, on an application by a person and on payment of the relevant fee prescribed under the *Road Traffic (Charges and Fees) Regulations 2006*, endorse a driver’s licence held by the person as of class T if the Director General is satisfied that the person —
- (a) has reached the age of 20 years; and
 - (b) has held the licence as an unrestricted licence for a period of, or periods amounting in the aggregate to, one year; and
 - (c) is of good character; and
 - (d) is mentally and physically fit to drive a motor vehicle for the purposes of carrying passengers for reward; and
 - (e) has successfully completed a training course or test approved by the Director General.

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By Command of the Governor,

M. C. WAUCHOPE, Clerk of the Executive Council.
