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 STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS
 

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1968 No. 1677

**HIRE PURCHASE****The Control of Hiring (Amendment No. 8) Order 1968**

<i>Made</i> - - - -	23rd October 1968
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	24th October 1968
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	25th October 1968

The Board of Trade, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by sections 1 and 23(3) of the Emergency Laws (Re-enactments and Repeals) Act 1964(a) hereby order as follows:—

1. The Control of Hiring Order 1964(b), as amended(c), shall have effect, in relation to any agreement to let goods on hire entered into on or after 25th October 1968, subject to the amendment that in Schedule 1 for items 6 and 7 there shall be substituted the following:—

“ 6. Mechanically propelled road vehicles constructed or adapted for the carriage of passengers or goods and sidecars; excluding ambulances, invalid carriages, vehicles specially constructed or adapted for disabled persons, vehicles built to a specification designed to comply with the conditions of fitness laid down by the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis for the purpose of the London Cab Order 1934(d) and vehicles constructed to carry not less than twelve passengers and excluding vehicles constructed or adapted for the carriage of goods other than vehicles having a weight unladen calculated in accordance with Section 255 of the Road Traffic Act 1960(e) of less than 40 cwt. and having to the rear of the driver's seat roofed accommodation which is fitted with side windows or which is constructed or adapted for the fitting of side windows—

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| (i) in the case of vehicles having more than three wheels     | 36    |
| (ii) in the case of vehicles having less than four wheels ... | 26 ”. |

2.—(1) Article 10 of the Control of Hiring Order 1964 is hereby revoked.

(2) This Order may be cited as the Control of Hiring (Amendment No. 8) Order 1968 and shall come into operation on 25th October 1968.

*Antony Part,*

23rd October 1968.

Secretary of the Board of Trade.

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This Note is not part of the Order.)*

This Order amends the Control of Hiring Order 1964, as amended. The Order no longer applies to the disposal under a hiring agreement or to the possession by a hirer of a goods vehicle other than one weighing less than 40 cwt. unladen which has or is designed for the fitting of rear side windows. The exemption in favour of a hirer having a carrier's licence under the Road Traffic Act 1960 is abolished.

(a) 1964 c. 60.

(b) S.I. 1964/943 (1964 II, p. 2117).

(c) S.I. 1967/1292, 1702 (1967 II, p. 3736; III, p. 4627).

(d) S. R. & O. 1934/1346 (Rev. XIV, p. 795; 1934 I. p. 1221).

(e) 1960 c. 16.