



## 2008 CHAPTER 4

### PART 1

#### REGULATION OF TAXI OPERATORS

##### CHAPTER 2

##### HIRING OF TAXIS AT SEPARATE FARES

#### **Compliance with a Departmental taxi-sharing scheme**

**6.—**(1) The Department may by order make a taxi-sharing scheme referred to in section 5(1)(a) which shall—

- (a) designate the places from which taxis may be hired under the scheme (“authorised places”);
- (b) specify the requirements to be met for the purposes of the scheme in relation to the carriage of passengers at separate fares; and
- (c) include such other provision as the Department thinks fit.

(2) Any scheme made under this section may, in particular, make provision with respect to—

- (a) providing that only taxis of such class as may be specified in the scheme may be hired for the carriage of passengers at separate fares;
- (b) rates or fares (including, without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing, the maximum rate or fare to be charged for or in respect of each passenger);
- (c) the display of any document, plate, mark or sign for indicating an authorised place or that a taxi standing at an authorised place is available for the carriage of passengers at separate fares;

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- (d) the display of signs, information or fares at such authorised places;
- (e) enforcing order at and regulating the use of such authorised places;
- (f) providing for persons to manage, and regulating the management of, the use of such authorised places;
- (g) the manner in which arrangements are to be made for the carriage of passengers at separate fares
- (h) the conditions to apply to such use of a taxi.

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**Commencement Information**

**II**    [S. 6](#) in operation at 31.5.2016 by [S.R. 2015/389](#), art. 2(3), [Sch. Pt. 3](#)

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- s. 6 coming into force by [S.R. 2014/300 art. 2\(3\)](#)[Sch. Pt. 3](#) (This effect not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). Art. 2(3), Sch. Pt. 3 omitted (22.5.2015) by virtue of S.R. 2015/257, art. 2)
- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing SR 2014/300 art. 2 Sch. Pt. 2 and 3 by [S.R. 2015/257 art. 2](#)