

Road Traffic Act 1960

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PART III

PUBLIC SERVICE VEHICLES

Licensing of Public Service Vehicles

Notice to be given to traffic commissioners of failure in, damage to, or alteration of vehicles

- (1) It shall be the duty of the holder of a public service vehicle licence on the happening to the vehicle in respect of which the licence was granted of any failure or damage of a nature calculated to affect the safety of the passengers or of persons using the road, as soon as may be to report the matter to the traffic commissioners for the traffic area in which the failure or damage happened.
- (2) It shall be the duty of the holder of a public service vehicle licence on any alteration otherwise than by way of replacement of parts being made in the structure or fixed equipment of the vehicle forthwith to give notice of the alteration to the traffic commissioners for the traffic area in which the licence was issued.
- (3) If a person fails to comply with the provisions of this section, he shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding twenty pounds, or in the case of a second or sub-sequent conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty pounds or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.