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ROAD TRAFFIC

The Public Service Vehicles (Drivers' and Conductors' Licences) (Amendment) Regulations 1976

<i>Made - - - -</i>	16th July 1976
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<i>Coming into Operation</i>	13th August 1976

The Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 159 and 160 of the Road Traffic Act 1960(a), and now vested in him(b), and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with representative organisations in accordance with section 260(2) of that Act, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations shall come into operation on 13th August 1976 and may be cited as the Public Service Vehicles (Drivers' and Conductors' Licences) (Amendment) Regulations 1976.

2. The Public Service Vehicles (Drivers' and Conductors' Licences) Regulations, 1934(c), as amended(d), shall be further amended as to have effect as if—

(a) for Regulation 7 (Fees), there were substituted the following Regulation:—

“Fees

7. The fee for a licence shall be 50p.”;

(b) for Regulation 16 (Deposit on Badges) there were substituted the following Regulation:—

“Deposit on badges issued before 13th August 1976

16. Any sum deposited with the Commissioners in pursuance of these Regulations before amendment by the Public Service Vehicles (Drivers' and Conductors' Licences) (Amendment) Regulations 1976 in respect of a badge issued before 13th August 1976 shall be returned to the licensee on his surrendering the badge, or on the next issue to him of a licence after that date.”;

(c) in Regulation 17 (Replacement of Badges)—

(i) in paragraph (1)(i) after the word “deposit”, where it first occurs, there were inserted the words “if any”, and the words “and the payment by the licensee of a fresh deposit of 2s 6d.” were deleted;

(ii) in paragraph (3) after the words “the sum deposited” there were inserted the words “if any”; and

(a) 1960 c. 16.

(b) S.I. 1970/1681 (1970 III, p. 5551).

(c) S.R. & O. 1934/1321 (Rev. XX, p. 403; 1934 II, p. 206).

(d) There are no relevant amending instruments.

- (d) in Regulation 18 (Forfeiture of Deposit) for the words "the deposit" there were substituted the words "any deposit paid before 13th August 1976 in respect thereof".

Signed by authority of
the Secretary of State.
16th July 1976.

John Gilbert,
Minister for Transport,
Department of the Environment.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend the Public Service Vehicles (Drivers' and Conductors' Licences) Regulations, 1934, so as to:—

- (1) increase the fee for a driver's or conductor's licence from 5p (for a licence of less than 2 years), 10p (for a licence of less than 3 years) and 15p (for a licence of 3 years) to 50p in all cases; and
- (2) remove the requirement for deposits to be paid on badges issued to licence holders.

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