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**The Public Service Vehicles (Conditions of Fitness,
Equipment, Use and Certification) Regulations 1981**

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**THE PUBLIC SERVICE VEHICLES (CONDITIONS OF FITNESS,
EQUIPMENT, USE AND CERTIFICATION) REGULATIONS 1981**

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SCHEDULE 2 — EXCEPTIONS FROM THE CONDITIONS PRESCRIBED IN PART II AS APPLICABLE TO VEHICLES REGISTERED BEFORE CERTAIN DATES

1. Regulation 7(2) (Suspension) shall not apply in the case...
2. Regulation 9(1) and (2) (Brakes) shall not apply in the...
3. Regulation 13(1) (Fuel tanks, carburettors, etc.) shall not apply—
4. Regulation 16 (Artificial lighting) in so far as it consists...
5. Regulation 17(2) (Electrical equipment) shall not apply in the case...
6. Regulation 19 (Height of sides of body) shall not apply...
7. Regulation 20 (Steps, platforms and stairs) shall not apply—
8. Regulation 21 (Number, position and size of entrances and exits)...
9. Regulation 23(1)(Doors) shall not apply— (a) in so far as...
10. Regulation 24(1)(b)(iv) (Marking, positioning and operation of emergency exits) shall...
11. The provisions of Regulation 26 (Width of gangways) specified in...
12. Regulation 27 (Height of gangways) shall not apply in the...
13. Regulation 28 (Seats) shall not apply— (a) in so far...
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15. Regulation 31 (Driver's accommodation) shall not apply—

SCHEDULE 3 (see Regulation 5) — CONDITIONS PRESCRIBED IN REGULATIONS IN PART II, OR PROVISIONS THEREOF, APPLICABLE TO CERTAIN VEHICLES BEARING A DESIGNATED APPROVAL MARK
Regulation 6 (Stability); Regulation 7 (Suspension); Regulation 8 (Guard rails);...

SCHEDULE 4 (See Regulation 35) — FIRE EXTINGUISHING APPARATUS

PART I

- (i) A foam-producing fire extinguisher complying in all respects with...
- (ii) A foam-producing fire extinguisher complying in all respects with...
- (iii) A soda acid chemical fire extinguisher complying in all...
- (iv) A water fire extinguisher complying in all respects with...
- (v) A bromochlorodifluoromethane (B.C.F.) fire extinguisher with a liquid capacity...

PART II

A fire extinguisher which complies in all respects with the...

SCHEDULE 5 (see Regulation 36) — FIRST AID EQUIPMENT

- (i) Ten antiseptic wipes, foil packed.
- (ii) One conforming disposable bandage (not less than 7.5 centimetres...
- (iii) Two triangular bandages.
- (iv) One packet of 24 assorted adhesive dressings.
- (v) Three large sterile unmedicated ambulance dressings (not less than...
- (vi) Two sterile eye pads, with attachments.

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- (vii) Twelve assorted safety pins.
- (viii) One pair of rustless blunt-ended scissors.

SCHEDULE 6 (see —
Regulation 47)

SCHEDULE 7 (see —
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SCHEDULE 8 (see —
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SCHEDULE 9 (see —
Regulation 54)

Explanatory Note