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**ROAD TRAFFIC
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**The Goods Vehicles (Licensing of
Operators) (Amendment) Regulations 2022**

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**THE GOODS VEHICLES (LICENSING OF
OPERATORS) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2022**

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12. Amendment of Regulation (EC) No 1072/2009
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66. Amendment of the Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) (Fees) Regulations 1995
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- 103. Amendment of the Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) (Exemption) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012
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- 107. Amendment of the Goods Vehicles (Qualifications of Operators) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012
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- 110. Insertion of regulation 1A (transitional provisions)
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- 113. Amendment of regulation 5 (good repute)
- 114. Amendment of regulation 9 (further provisions for the purposes of regulations 5 to 8)
- 115. Insertion of regulation 9A (determination of appropriate financial standing)
- 116. Omission of regulation 10 (professional competence)
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- 118. Omission of regulations 12 and 13 (redundant provisions)
- 119. Insertion of regulation 13A (requirements for transport manager)
- 120. Amendment of regulation 15 (determinations in respect of transport managers)
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- 122. Insertion of heading to Part 3
- 123. Insertion of the Schedule (transitional provisions)

PART 13

Amendment of the Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012

- 124. Amendment of the Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012
- 125. Amendment of regulation 2 (interpretation)
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129. Amendment of regulation 27 (partnerships)
130. Amendment of regulation 28 (holding companies and subsidiaries)
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133. Amendment of the Goods Vehicles (Community Licence) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2013
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Explanatory Note