STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2001 No. 402

ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

Motor Vehicles (Driving Licences) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2001

Made - - - -	*14th November 2001*
Coming into operation	*14th January 2002*

The Department of the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 5(3), 13(3)(*a*) and 218(1) of the Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 1981(**1**), and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Motor Vehicles (Driving Licences) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2001 and shall come into operation on 14th January 2002.

(2) In these Regulations "the principal Regulations" means the Motor Vehicles (Driving Licences) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996(**2**).

Amendment to regulation 2 (interpretation)

2. In regulation 2(1)(**3**) of the principal Regulations, after the definition of "controlled by a pedestrian" there shall be inserted the following definitions—

> ""disability assessment licence" means a provisional licence granted to enable a person to drive a motor vehicle for the purpose of preparing for, and taking, a disability assessment test;
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> "disability assessment test" means a test of competence to drive for which a person is required, by notice under Article 11(5)(*c*) of the Order to submit himself;".

(**1**) S.I.1981/154 (N.I. 1); *see* Article 2(2) for the definition of "Department" and "prescribed"; Articles 5 and 13 were substituted by S.I. 1991/197 (N.I. 3), Schedule 1; Article 5 was amended by S.R. 1996 No. 426, Schedule 1, paragraph 2; Article 13 was amended by S.R. 1996 No. 426, Schedule 1, paragraph 5

(**2**) S.R. 1996 No. 542; relevant amending Regulations are S.R. 1997 No. 383, S.R. 1999 No. 358 and S.R. 2000 No. 297

(**3**) Regulation 2(1) was amended by S.R. 1997 No. 383, regulation 2(2)