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ROAD AND RAILWAY TRANSPORT

Road Transport Licensing (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988

Made . . . . . *21st June 1988*

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To be laid before Parliament under paragraph 3(3) of Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Act 1974

The Department of the Environment in exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Transport Act (Northern Ireland) 1967(**a**) and now vested in it(**b**) and of all powers enabling it in that behalf, and with the approval of the Department of Finance and Personnel(**c**), hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Road Transport Licensing (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988 and shall come into operation on 1st August 1988.

Regulations amended

2. The Road Transport Licensing (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1985(**d**) shall be amended as follows—

(*a*) in regulation 3 (fees for road service licences) for "£1·50" there shall be substituted "£1·80"; and

(*b*) for regulation 4 (refund of road service licence fees) there shall be substituted the following regulation—

"*Refund of road service licence fees*

4.—(1) Where a road service licence is surrendered, revoked or suspended the holder shall be entitled under section 9(2) of the Act to be repaid by way of rebate of the fee paid in respect of the grant of the licence—

(*a*) for each complete month of the period of currency of the licence which is unexpired at the time of surrender or revocation; or

(*b*) for each complete month of the period during which the licence is suspended,

a sum equal to the monthly multiplicand in respect of each vehicle authorised under the licence.

(**a**) 1967 c. 37 (N.I.); s. 9(1) has been amended by S.I. 1984/1986 (N.I. 15) Art. 10(1)
(**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 504 Art. 4
(**c**) Formerly the Department of Finance. *See* S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Art. 3
(**d**) S.R. 1985 No. 33; relevant amending regulations are S.R. 1986 No. 55 and S.R. 1987 No. 47