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ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

Goods Vehicles (Certification) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976

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Coming into operation . . . . 12*th April* 1976

The Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 47, 52 and 189 of the Road Traffic Act (Northern Ireland) 1970(**a**) and now vested in it(**b**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and with the approval of the Department of Finance(**c**), hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Goods Vehicles (Certification) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976 and shall come into operation on 12th April 1976.

Regulations amended

2. The Goods Vehicles (Certification) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966(**d**) shall be amended as follows:

(1) For regulation 4 there shall be substituted the following regulation:

"4.—(*a*) A person who desires to obtain a goods vehicle certificate shall apply to the Department on a form issued by the Department and shall furnish all relevant particulars and make any relevant declaration specified in such form.

(*b*) Each application for a certificate shall be accompanied by the appropriate fee as prescribed in regulation 8.";

(2) For regulation 8 there shall be substituted the following regulation:

"8. The fees payable on an application for a goods vehicle certificate shall be as follows:

(*a*) for a goods vehicle for which a certificate is applied for within one month of being registered for the first time under the Vehicles (Excise) Act (Northern Ireland) 1972(**e**) or under the corresponding statutory provisions obtaining elsewhere, and which before being so registered has not been used for demonstration purposes for a longer period than one month, a fee of £1.50;

(*b*) for a goods vehicle not coming within the provisions of sub-paragraph (*a*), where the vehicle does not exceed in weight 30 hundredweight unladen, a fee of £3.50;

(a) 1970 c. 2 (N.I.) as amended by S.I. 1973/1229 (N.I. 17)
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 504 Art. 5(*b*) (II, p. 2992)
(c) Formerly Ministry: *see* 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8(1)
(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966 No. 65 (p. 237) as amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1969 No. 128 (p. 483) and other amending instruments not relevant for the purpose.
(e) 1972 c. 10 (N.I.)