



STATUTORY INSTRUMENT.

No. 3 of 2017

Road Traffic (Fees and Charges) Regulation 2017.

MADE by the Head of State, acting with, and in accordance with the advice of the National Executive Council, under Section 55 of the ***Road Traffic Act 2014.***

1 TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT

- (1) This regulation may be cited as the Road Traffic (Fees and Charges) Regulation 2017.
- (2) This regulation comes into force on the day after the day that it is notified in the National Gazette.

2 INTERPRETATION

(1) In this regulation, unless the context otherwise requires—

“**Act**” means the *Road Traffic Act 2014*;

“**articulated vehicle**” means a prime mover and a semi-trailer;

“**Authority**” means the Road Traffic Authority established under Section 4 of the Act;

“**Caravan**” means a trailer that is permanently equipped with features intended to make the vehicle suitable as a person's dwelling place, and must include at least one sleeping berth and one table, both of which may be of a design that allows them to be retracted or folded away;

“**commercial trailer**” means a trailer that is not used solely for domestic purposes;

“**commercial vehicle**” means a motor vehicle (other than a motor cycle, trailer, motor tractor or prescribed vehicle) that is not used solely for domestic purposes;

“**domestic trailer**” means a trailer that is used solely for domestic purposes;

“**domestic vehicle**” includes any motor vehicle (other than a motor cycle, trailer, motor tractor or prescribed vehicle) used solely for domestic purposes;

“**gross vehicle weight (GVW)**” of a vehicle means the maximum loaded weight for which the vehicle is designed-

(a) as specified by the vehicle's manufacturer; or

(b) as specified by the Authority if -

(i) a GVW is not specified by the vehicle's manufacturer; or

(ii) a GVW so specified is no longer appropriate because the vehicle has been modified;

“**motor car**” means a motor vehicle constructed principally for the carriage of persons equipped to seat not more than eight adult persons including the driver.

“**motor cycle**” includes a motor vehicle with less than four wheels and an unladen weight of

less than 750kg.

“motor tractor” means a road, oil or steam engine constructed to be used–

- (a) for agricultural purposes; or
- (b) in connection with agricultural implements and machinery; or
- (c) for haulage or earth-moving purposes.

“motor truck” means a motor vehicle used principally–

- (a) for the carriage of goods, wares or merchandise; or
- (b) for the conveyance of any kind of materials used in any trade, business or industry; or
- (c) for use in any work other than the conveyance of passengers.

“omnibus” means a motor vehicle designed for the transport of passengers with a seating capacity of more than 8 passengers;

“passenger transport licence” means a public motor vehicle licence, a taxicab licence or a private hire car licence;

“prescribed vehicle” means a forklift, mobile crane, front-end loader, excavator, grader, dozer, roller or other similar motor vehicle;

“prime mover” means a motor vehicle used to tow a semi-trailer;

“Road Traffic Rules” or **“Rules”** mean the ordinary rules made under Section 56 of the Act;

“semi-trailer” means a trailer–

- (a) the forward end of which is superimposed on prime mover; and
- (b) that is attached to that prime mover by means of a turn-table or king pin;

“trailer” means a vehicle without motive power that is capable of being drawn or propelled by a motor vehicle from which it is readily detachable;

but does not include:

- (a) a side-car attached to a motor cycle; or
- (b) a vehicle normally propelled by mechanical power while it is being temporarily towed without the use of its own power.

(2) For purposes of the fees payable in this Regulation, where a prime mover is used:

- (a) solely with one semi-trailer, the prime mover and the semi-trailer shall be deemed to be a single vehicle; and
- (b) with a number of semi-trailers –
 - (i) the prime mover and that semi-trailer that would, if it shared, attract the lowest fee shall be deemed to be a single vehicle; and
 - (ii) the other semi-trailers shall be deemed to be trailers.

3 FEES & CHARGES

(1) The fees and charges payable for the purposes of the Act and the Rules are set out in Schedule 1.

(2) The fee for provision of information regarding driver licensing, motor vehicle registration, passenger and goods transport licensing, and vehicle standards and compliance is K30.

(3) The fees prescribed by or assessed under this Regulation are inclusive of goods and services tax.

SCHEDULE

FEES & CHARGES UNDER ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 2014 AND ROAD TRAFFIC RULES

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	RULE SECTION	FEE (Kina)
<i>Road Traffic Rules – Licensing of Drivers</i>			
1.	Issue of learners permit.	8(2)(c)	70
2.	Issue or renewal of provisional driver's licence.	13(2)(d) & 18(2)(b)	70
3.	Issue or renewal of full driver's licence–	21(2)(b)	
	3.1. issued for 1 year		70
	3.2. issued for 2 years		130
	3.3. issued for 3 years		180
	3.4. issued for 4 years		230
	3.5. issued for 5 years.		280
4.	Issue of replacement learner's permit.	27(4)(b)	70
5.	Issue of replacement provisional driver's licence.	27(4)(b)	70
6.	Issue of replacement full driver's licence–	27(4)(d)	
	6.1. issued for 1 year		70
	6.2. issued for 2 years		130
	6.3. issued for 3 years		180
	6.4. issued for 4 years		230
	6.5. issued for 5 years.		280
<i>Road Traffic Rules – Registration of Motor Vehicles</i>			
7.	Reserved		
8.	Registration or renewal of registration of a commercial vehicle where the gross vehicle mass–	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	
	8.1. does not exceed 1 tonne		345
	8.2. exceeds 1.0 tonne but does not exceed 2 tonnes		460
	8.3. exceeds 2.0 tonnes but does not exceed 3 tonnes		690
	8.4. exceeds 3 tonnes but does not exceed 6 tonnes		920
	8.5. exceeds 6 tonnes but does not exceed 8 tonnes		1,150
	8.6. exceeds 8 tonnes but does not exceed 10 tonnes		1,380
	and in addition, where gross vehicle mass exceeds 10 tonnes– for each tonne or part of a tonne in excess of 10 tonnes.		140
9.	Registration or renewal of registration of a motor cycle without side-car.	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	185
10.	Registration or renewal of registration of a motor cycle with side car.	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	345
11.	Registration or renewal of registration of a domestic trailer.	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	115
12.	Registration or renewal of registration of a caravan where body length–	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	
	12.1. does not exceed 2 metres		115
	12.2. exceeds 2 metres but does not exceed 4 metres		230
	12.3. exceeds 4 metres.		575
13.	Registration or renewal of registration of a commercial trailer – for every tonne or part thereof of gross vehicle mass.	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	140
14.	Registration or renewal of registration of a motor tractor with engine size–	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	
	14.1. not exceeding 3000 cm ³ (cc)		230
	14.2. exceeding 3000 cm ³ (cc) but not exceeding 6000 cm ³ (cc)		370
	14.3. exceeding 6000 cm ³ (cc).		575
15.	Registration or renewal of registration of motor tractor with pneumatic tyres–	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	
	15.1. not exceeding 3000 cm ³ (cc)		575
	15.2. exceeding 3000 cm ³ (cc) but not exceeding 6000 cm ³ (cc)		690

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	15.3. exceeding 6000 cm3 (cc).		920
16.	Registration or renewal of registration of a prescribed vehicle or other vehicle not elsewhere specified in this schedule.	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	575
17.	Replacement registration certificate or registration label.	12(4)(b)	60
17A.	Issue of number plate.	14(1) & 15	120
18.	Issue of a personalized number plate.	16(2)(b)	1,150
19.	Transfer of a personalized number plate from one vehicle to another.	16(4)(b)	460
20.	Replacement number plate.	17(1)(c) & 18(3)(b)	120
21.	Replacement personalized number plate.	17(1)(c) & 18(3)(b)	1,150
22.	Permit to drive an unregistered motor vehicle.	22(3)(b)(ii)	115
23.	Alteration of certificate of registration of motor cycle to allow side car to be used.	24((3)	140
24.	Transfer of registration of motor vehicle.	25(4)(b)	115
25.	Visiting motor vehicle permit.	26(2)(b)	115
26.	Traders plate–	28(2)(b)	
	26.1. issue or renewal of plate for use on a motor vehicle other than a motor cycle		460
	26.2. issue or renewal of plate for use on a motor cycle.		230
27.	Replacement trader's plate certificate.	34(4)(b)	60
28.	Replacement trader's plate.	35(3)(b)	120
Road Traffic Rules – Passenger and Goods Transport Licensing			
29.	Issue or renewal of public motor vehicle licence–	8(2)(d)	
	29.1. for each vehicle licensed to carry up to 8 passengers.		380
	29.2. for each passenger licensed to be carried in excess of 8.		5
30.	Endorsement or permit to drive a public motor vehicle.	16((1)(d)	70
31.	Issue or renewal of a crew member's permit.	19(b)	70
32.	Issue or renewal of a taxicab licence – for each vehicle authorised under the licence.	28((2)(d)	250
33.	Testing and sealing a taximeter.	31(c)(ii)	200
34.	Issue or renewal of a private hire car licence– for each vehicle authorised under the licence.	32(2)(d)	250
35.	Issue or renewal of a temporary private hire car licence.	35(2)(d)	50
36.	Endorsement to drive a taxicab or private hire car.	38(1)(d)	70
37.	Issue or renewal of a goods transport licence– for each vehicle authorised under the licence– for each tonne of payload capacity of the vehicle plus trailer used with the vehicle	48(2)(e)	
	37.1 Provincial licence		50
	37.2 Highway licence		60
38.	Endorsement or permit to drive a goods transport vehicle.	56(1)(d)	70
39.	Addition of motor vehicles to a passenger transport licence or goods transport licence–	62(2)	
	39.1. for each public motor vehicle licensed to carry up to 8 passengers.		380
	39.2. for each passenger licensed to be carried in a public motor vehicle in excess of 8.		5
	39.3. for each taxicab or private hire car.		250
	39.4. for each goods service vehicle added to a provincial licence- per tonne of payload capacity of the vehicle plus trailer used with the vehicle.		50
	39.5. for each goods service vehicle added to a highway licence- per tonne of payload capacity of the vehicle plus trailer used with the vehicle.		60
40.	Replacement licence or permit.	74(4)(b)	60
Road Traffic Rules – Vehicle Standards and Compliance			
41.	Approval of plans to construct a passenger carrying motor	20(b)	2,500

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	vehicle.		
42.	Permit to exceed maximum mass and dimensions.	44(2)(c)	2,500
43.	Examination of staff and inspection of premises and equipment for the purpose of authorizing an inspection station.	68(2)(b)(ii)	3,000
43A.	Licence to operate an authorised inspection station– first licence	68A(2)	1,900
43B.	Licence to operate an authorised inspection station– subsequent licences– number of inspections carried out in previous year–	68A(2)	
	43B.1. less than 500		1,900
	43B.2. 500 to 999		3,800
	43B.3. 1,000 to 1,499		5,700
	43B.4. 1,500 to 1,999		7,600
	43B.5. 2,000 to 2,499		9,500
	43B.6. 2,500 to 2,999		11,400
	43B.7. 3,000 to 3,499		13,300
	43B.8. 3,500 to 3,999		15,200
	43B.9. 4,000 to 4,499		17,100
	43B.10. 4,500 to 4,999		19,000
	43B.11. 5,000 and over		20,900
44.	Inspection and testing for roadworthiness–	69(3)	
	44.1. motor cycle with or without side-car		30
	44.2. motor car		90
	44.3. motor truck not more than 2,000 kg gross vehicle mass		90
	44.4. motor truck more than 2,000 kg gross vehicle mass		120
	44.5. trailer where braking system not required		90
	44.6. trailer where braking system required		80
	44.7. articulated vehicle		150
	44.8. omnibus with seating capacity under 25		120
	44.9. omnibus with seating capacity 25 and over.		150
45.	Replacement certificate or sticker	71A	50