

1984 No. 236

ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

Motor Vehicle Testing (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1984

Made 28th June 1984

Coming into operation 13th August 1984

The Department of the Environment in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 33(2) and (6), 35(3), 36(4) and 218(1) of the Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 1981(a) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, and with the approval of the Department of Finance and Personnel(b) as regards regulation 3(2), (3) and (4) makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Motor Vehicle Testing (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1984 and shall come into operation on 13th August 1984.

Regulations revoked

2. The Motor Vehicle Testing (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1983(c) are revoked.

Regulations amended

3. The Motor Vehicle Testing Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975(d) shall be amended as follows:

(1) In regulation 4(7) "within 28 days from such service" shall be deleted.

(2) For regulation 8 there shall be substituted—

"Fees for tests

8. The fees payable for tests shall be as follows:

(a) for a motor bicycle a fee of £6·00;

(b) for any other motor vehicle a fee of £10·00;

(c) where a vehicle is presented for re-test in the circumstances described in regulation 4(7)—

(i) for a motor bicycle a fee of £3·00;

(ii) for any other motor vehicle a fee of £5·00."

(3) For regulation 9(1) there shall be substituted—

"Fees on appeals

9.—(1) The fees payable on appeals shall be as follows:

(a) for a motor vehicle a fee of £6·00;

(b) for any other motor vehicle a fee of £10·00."

(4) For regulation 10 there shall be substituted—

(a) S.I. 1981/154 (N.I. 1)

(b) Formerly the Department of Finance. See S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Art. 3

(c) S.R. 1983 No. 299

(d) S.R. 1975 No. 138 as amended by S.R. 1980 No. 323

“Fees for examination under Articles 35(2) and 36(3)

10. The fee payable for an examination under Articles 35(2) or 36(3) of the Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 1981 shall be £6·00 for a motor bicycle and £10·00 for any other motor vehicle.”

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland on 28th June 1984.

(L.S.)

J. Cowan

Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance and Personnel approves of regulation 3(2), (3) and (4).

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel for Northern Ireland on 28th June 1984.

(L.S.)

D. W. Alexander

Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations further amend the Motor Vehicle Testing Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975 by—

(1) Increasing the fees for tests as follows:—

(a) for a motor bicycle from £5·40 to £6·00;

(b) for any other motor vehicle from £9·00 to £10·00;

(c) where an application is made within 21 days from a notice of refusal and the vehicle re-examined within 28 days of refusal—

(i) for a motor bicycle from £2·70 to £3·00,

(ii) for any other motor vehicle from £4·50 to £5·00.

(2) Increasing the fees payable on appeals as follows:—

(a) for a motor bicycle from £5·40 to £6·00;

(b) for any other motor vehicle from £9·00 to £10·00.

(3) Increasing the fees payable for examinations under Article 35(2) (where vehicle has previously failed a roadside examination) or 36(3) (where driving of a defective vehicle on a road has been prohibited) of the Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 1981 as follows:—

(a) for a motor bicycle from £5·40 to £6·00;

(b) for any other motor vehicle from £9·00 to £10·00.

The opportunity has been taken to make a minor drafting amendment.