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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

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THE MOTOR TRAFFIC ACT (CHAPTER 203)

REGULATIONS made by the Minister of Transport under Section 237 of the motor traffic act (Chapter 203) read with Section 128A of the aforesaid Act,

KUMARA WELGAMA,
Minister of Transport.

Colombo,
23rd January, 2014.

Regulations

1. These regulations may be cited as "Motor Traffic" (Public Service Driving Licence) Regulations No. 03 of the 2014 and shall come into force on 01.01.2015.

2. No holder of a licence for any class or classes of vehicles shall drive a motor coach as a public service vehicle for carriage of passengers unless he is authorized in that behalf by a special endorsement by the Commissioner General under Section 128A of the Act.

3. Any holder of a licence for any class or classes of vehicles who intends to drive any public service vehicle for carriage of passengers shall make an application to the Commissioner General in the form as set out in the Schedule to these regulation together with the payment of Rupees Two Thousand (Rs. 2000/-) as a levy for the issue of special endorsement by the Commissioner General.

4. The following requirements and the qualifications shall be fulfilled by an applicant to obtain a special endorsement to drive a motor coach as a public service vehicle and the applicant shall prove to the satisfaction of the Commissioner General that he :-

- (i) is a person of age between 23 and 65 years (both inclusive) ;
- (ii) has obtained two years driving experience after obtained a regular driving license for a motor coach ;



- (iii) has obtained a medical certificate issued by the National Transport Medical Institute or any other Institution authorized in writing by the Commissioner General ;
- (iv) has completed a first aid course conducted by the National Transport Medical Institute or any other Institution authorized in writing by the Commissioner General to conduct such course ;
- (v) has passed the mechanical knowledge examination conducted by the Commissioner General or any other institution authorized in writing by him in that behalf ;
- (vi) has successfully completed a training course conducted by an institution authorized in writing by the Commissioner General to conduct such training course ;
- (vii) has no criminal record under any law in force in Sri Lanka.

5. In this Regulation -

"Act" means the Motor Traffic Act (Chapter 203) ;

"Commissioner General" means the Commissioner General of Motor Traffic appointed under the Act; and

"Public service vehicle" means any motor vehicle used or adapted to be used or kept for the carriage of passengers for a fee or reward.

SCHEDULE

APPLICATION FOR A SPECIAL ENDORSEMENT TO DRIVE PUBLIC SERVICE VEHICLES

1. Name with Initials : _____ ;

2. Full Name : _____ ;

3. Address : _____ ;

4. District : _____ ;

5. National Identity Card No. : _____ ;

6. Date of Birth :

7. Sex (M/F) :

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8. Height :

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9. Occupation : _____ ;

10. Class or classes of Vehicles for which the licence is valid : _____ ;

11. Particulars of the driving licence of the applicant :

(a) Driving Licence No. :

(b) Date of Issue :

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(c) Class or Classess of Vehicles :

(d) Date of Expiry :

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(e) Driver Improvement Points
(if any at the time of making
application) :

12. Have you been disqualified from obtaining a Driving Licence or has a Licence held by you been cancelled or suspended by a Court or by the Commissioner General. If yes, give particulars of the case or decision of the Commissioner General :

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The Originals of the Birth Certificate and the National Identity Card shall be produced at the time of making an application and photo-copies of each of them shall be forwarded with the application for endorsement.

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Applicant's Signature.

Date :

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