STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2006 No. 74

ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

The Public Service Vehicles (Conditions of Fitness, Equipment and Use) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006

Made--Ist March 2006Coming into operation13th April 2006

The Department of the Environment makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 55(1), (2) and (6) and 110(2) of the Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 1995(1):

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Public Service Vehicles (Conditions of Fitness, Equipment and Use) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006 and shall come into operation on 13th April 2006.

Amendment of the Public Service Vehicles (Conditions of Fitness, Equipment and Use) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1995

2. In regulation 29(2) (length) of the Public Service Vehicles (Conditions of Fitness, Equipment and Use) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1995(**2**) for "4.73" there shall be substituted "5".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment on 1st March 2006.

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(1) S.I.1995/2994 (N.I. 18); see Article 2(2) for the definition of "the Department"

(2) S.R. 1995 No. 447 to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations further amend the Public Service Vehicles (Conditions of Fitness, Equipment and Use) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1995 so as to increase the maximum length of a taxi, which is licensed for public hire in the City of Belfast, from 4.73 metres to 5 metres.