

GOODS VEHICLES: CERTIFICATION

REGULATIONS, DATED 3RD OCTOBER 1969, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER PART III OF THE MOTOR VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1934 AND SECTION 17 OF THE ROAD TRAFFIC ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1967.

The Ministry of Home Affairs in exercise of the powers vested in it by Part III of the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act (Northern Ireland) 1934(a) and Section 17 of the Road Traffic Act (Northern Ireland) 1967(b) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation and Commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Goods Vehicles (Certification) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1969 and shall come into operation on 1st November 1969.

Regulations Amended

2. The Goods Vehicles (Certification) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966(c) shall have effect as though the following sub-paragraphs were added to Regulation 25:—

“(5) to the use of a vehicle having a base or centre in Great Britain and which is either:—

(a) a vehicle equipped with a plate in accordance with Regulation 30 or Regulation 120 of the Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) Regulations 1969(d);

(b) a vehicle to which Regulation 3(2) of the Goods Vehicles (Plating and Testing) Regulations 1968(e) refers;

(c) a motor vehicle the unladen weight of which does not exceed 30 cwt.; or

(d) a trailer the unladen weight of which does not exceed 1 ton.

(6) after 1st April 1970, to the use of a vehicle having a base or centre in Great Britain and which is either:—

(a) a motor vehicle for the time being licensed under the Vehicles (Excise) Act 1962(f), or

(b) a trailer temporarily in Northern Ireland a period of twelve months not having elapsed since the vehicle in question was last brought into Northern Ireland.”

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 3rd day of October 1969.

(L.S.)

W. G. Robinson,
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 24 & 25 Geo. 5. c. 15 (N.I.).

(b) 1967. c. 38 (N.I.).

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966, No. 65.

(d) S.I. 1969, No. 321.

(e) S.I. 1968, No. 601.

(f) 10 & 11 Eliz. 2. c. 13.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These Regulations further amend the Goods Vehicles (Certification) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966 by exempting "plated" vehicles from Great Britain making a temporary stay in Northern Ireland from the requirement to have a Goods Vehicles Certificate. Vehicles from Great Britain which are not subject to their plating scheme are also exempted.