

Haulage Permits and Trailer Registration Act 2018

2018 CHAPTER 19

PART 2

TRAILERS

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- (1) Regulations may provide for the compulsory or voluntary registration of trailers kept or used on roads in a register kept by the Secretary of State.
- (2) The regulations may—
 - (a) require or permit the keeper of a trailer to apply to the Secretary of State for its registration;
 - (b) make provision about the procedure for applications;
 - (c) make provision for the purpose of ensuring that each registered trailer has a number which is recorded in the register;
 - (d) make provision about the form of the register and the information to be included in it;
 - (e) provide for the giving of registration documents;
 - (f) provide for the transfer, surrender or production of registration documents;
 - (g) provide for the expiry of registration documents;
 - (h) require the destruction of a registration document in specified circumstances;
 - (i) make other provision in connection with—
 - (i) the registration of a trailer,
 - (ii) the transfer of a registered trailer to a new keeper,
 - (iii) the accuracy of information included in the register, or
 - (iv) the enforcement of provisions of the regulations.

(3) In this Part—

"motor vehicle" means a mechanically-propelled vehicle which is intended or adapted for use on roads;

"trailer" means anything on wheels which is intended or adapted to be drawn by a motor vehicle;

"regulations" means regulations made by the Secretary of State.