1979 No. 320

ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

Motor Cars (Driving Instruction) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979

Made . . . . . 12*th September* 1979

Coming into operation . . . 1*st November* 1979

The Department of the Environment in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 117, 117C and 189 of the Road Traffic Act (Northern Ireland) 1970(**a**) and now vested in it(**b**) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Motor Cars (Driving Instruction) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979 and shall come into operation on 1st November 1979.

Regulation amended

2. For regulation 18 of the Motor Cars (Driving Instruction) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974(**c**) there shall be substituted the following regulation:

"**18.**—(1) A person applying to submit himself to the written part of the examination shall pay a fee of £15.

(2) A person applying to submit himself to the practical part of the examination shall pay a fee of £35.

(3) The fee to be paid by a person who applies for the entry of his name in the Register shall be £30.

(4) The fee to be paid by a person who applies for the renewal of an entry of his name in the Register for a further period of four years shall be £35.

(5) The fee to be paid by a person exempted under regulation 20(1) applying for the entry of his name in the Register shall be £35.

(6) The fee to be paid by a person who applies for the re-entry of his name in the Register shall be £35 if that person's name has been removed from the Register and by virtue of regulation 20(3) he is not required again to pass the examination.

(7) The fee to be paid by a person applying for a licence or a renewal thereof shall be £25.".

(**a**) 1970 c. 2 (N.I.) as amended by S.I. 1973/1229 (N.I. 17) Art. 8
(**b**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 504 Art. 5(*b*) (II, p. 2992)
(**c**) S.R. 1974 No. 109 (I, p. 354) as amended by S.R. 1976 No. 318 (II, p. 1535)

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland on 12th September 1979.

(L.S.) *E. A. Simpson*
Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance hereby approves of regulation 2.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland on 12th September 1979.

(L.S.) *F. G. Dougall*
Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations further amend the Motor Cars (Driving Instruction) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974 by:

1. Introducing a new fee of £30 for a person who applies to have his name entered for the first time in the Register of approved driving instructors.
2. Increasing the existing fees for:
   (*a*) the practical part of the examination of ability to give instruction from £25 to £35;
   (*b*) an application for retention on the Register from £25 to £35;
   (*c*) an application for entry on the Register by a person on the corresponding Register in Great Britain from £25 to £35;
   (*d*) an application for re-entry on the Register where the applicant is not required to pass the examination in the circumstances described in regulation 20(3) of the Motor Cars (Driving Instruction) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974 from £25 to £35; and
   (*e*) an application for a licence or renewal thereof to give instruction from £15 to £25.