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## **ROAD TRANSPORT (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2020**

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**ROAD TRANSPORT ACT  
(Cap. 131)**

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IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 82 of the *Road Transport Act* (Cap.131), the Minister for Infrastructure and Development makes the following Regulations:

**1 Citation**

These Regulations may be cited as the *Road Transport (Amendment) Regulations 2020*.

**2 Commencement**

These Regulations commence on 1 March 2020.

**3 Amendment of Road Transport Regulations**

These Regulations amend the Road Transport Regulations (Cap. 131, LN 145/1967) (“*Principal Regulations*”).

**4 Amendment of regulation 8**

Regulation 8 of the Principal Regulations is amended by inserting after subregulation 3:

“(3A) The registration plate for a motor cycle must be smaller than the registration plates for other types of vehicles.”.

**5 Repeal and replacement of regulation 9**

The Principal Regulations are amended by repealing regulation 9 and replacing it with:

**“9. Registration plates and colours**

“(1) The ground of a registration plate for a public service vehicle that is a bus must be red brown and the letters and numbers on the plate must be black.

- (2) The ground of a registration plate for a taxi must be blue and the letters and numbers on the plate must be black.
- (3) The ground of a registration plate for any other vehicle must be yellow and the letters and numbers on the plate must be black.”.

## **6 Amendment of regulation 13**

Regulation 13 of the Principal Regulations is amended by repealing subregulation (1) and replacing it with:

- “(1) A registration plate issued in respect of a dealer’s general licence must:
- (a) be square or rectangular in shape;
  - (b) have on it the letters “DL”; and
  - (c) be displayed on any vehicle used under the licence by being affixed to the front and rear of the vehicle in such a way as to be clearly visible to a person approaching from either the front or rear of the vehicle.”.

Made on twelfth day of February, 2020.

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