



THE ROAD TRANSPORT ACT 2001

**THE ROAD TRANSPORT (DRIVER LICENSING) (EXEMPTION)
REGULATIONS 2002**

Approved by Tynwald

20th March 2002

Coming into Operation

1st April 2002

In exercise of the powers conferred on the Department of Transport by sections 40(1) and 62(1) of the Road Transport Act 2001¹, and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Road Transport Licensing Committee and such representative bodies as the Department thinks fit, the following Regulations are hereby made: —

1. Citation, commencement and interpretation

(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Road Transport (Driver Licensing) (Exemption) Regulations 2002 and, subject to section 62(6) of the Act, shall come into operation on the 1st April 2002.

(2) In these Regulations —

“the Act” means the Road Transport Act 2001; and

“the Department” means the Department of Transport.

2. Exemption from driver licensing

(1) Subject to paragraph (2), section 40(1) of the Act shall not apply to the driving of a public passenger vehicle, being a vehicle registered in a country or territory outside the Island, by a person (“the driver”) who is —

(a) resident outside the Island, and

(b) authorised by a permit granted under the law of that country or territory to drive that vehicle.

(2) Paragraph (1) shall cease to have effect in relation to the driver of a vehicle on the expiration of one month beginning with the date on which he arrived (or last arrived) in the Island.

¹ 2001 c.27
Price £0.30 Band A

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19th February

2002



Minister for Transport

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations grant a temporary exemption for one month from the requirement for a licence to drive a public passenger vehicle in the case of a visiting driver of a vehicle registered in a country or territory outside the Island who is licensed to drive that vehicle in that country or territory.