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## PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

### Government Notifications

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#### THE MOTOR TRAFFIC ACT (CHAPTER 203)

REGULATIONS made by the Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation under Section 237 read with Section 8, 14 and 30 of the Motor Traffic Act (Chapter 203)

NIMAL SIRIPALA DE SILVA,  
Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation.

Colombo,  
15th January, 2018.

#### Regulations

1. The Motor Traffic (Fees) Regulations 2011, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1722/27 of September 9, 2011, as amended by regulations published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1796/22 of February 8, 2013 are hereby further amended as follows :

(1) in regulation 3 thereof, by the repeal of items (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv) of paragraph (a) of such regulation and the substitution therefor of the following :-

“(i) importation of the motor vehicle ;

(ii) purchase of motor vehicle manufactured or assembled or manufactured and assembled locally, as the case may be, of such motor vehicle ; or

(iii) auction of the unregistered motor vehicle belonging to the State or to a Semi-Government Organization or to the Sri Lanka Customs,” ;

(2) in regulation 6 thereof, by the repeal of paragraphs (2), (3) and (4) of such regulation and substitution therefor of the following :-



“(2) Where an application for registratin is not submittted within fourteen days of the change of possession of a motor vehicle upon voluntary transfer made by the registered owne, an additional delay charge for each foregone day shall be charged along with the fee payable. The payable additional delay charge for each foregone day for the categories specified in Column I of Schedule IIIA to these regulations shall be as specified in corresponding entry of Column II of that Schedule. However the maximum additional delay charge shall not exceed the charge specified in the corresponding entry of Column III of that Schedule.

(3) Where an application for registration is not submitted within one hundred and eighty days of the change of possession of a motor vehicle upon the death of the registered owner of the vehicle, an additional delay charge for each foregone day shall be charged along with the fee payable. The payable additional delay charge for each foregone day for the categories specified in Column I of Schedule IIIA to these regulations shall be specified in corresponding entry of Column II of that Schedule. However, the maximum additional delay charge shall not exceed the charge specified in the corresponding entry of Column III of that Schedule.

Provided however, an application for registration is submitted within thirty days of a courts order consequence to due testimonial proceedings of the deceased registered owner no additional delay charge shall be charged. An application for registration is submitted after thirty days of such court order, an additional delay charge for each foregone day shall be charged along with the fee payable. The payable additional delay charge for each foregone day for the categories specified in Column I of Schedule IIIA to these regulations shall be as specified in corresponding entry of Column II of that schedule. However, the maximum additional delay charge shall not exceed the charge specified in the corresponding entry of Column III of that Schedule.

(4) Upon the sale of a vehicle belonging to the State or to a Semi-Governmental Organization or to the the Sri Lanka Customs an application for registration shall be submitted within one hundred and eighty days of such sale. An application for registration is submitted after one hundred and eighty days of such sale, an additional delay charge for each foregone day shall be charged along with the fee payable. The payable additional delay charge for each foregone day for the categories specified in Column I of Schedule IIIA to these regulations shall be as specified in corresponding entry of Column II of that Schedule. However, the maximum additional delay charge shall not exceed the charge specified in the corresponding entry of Column III of that Schedule.”.

(3) in regulation II thereof, by the insertion, immediately after paragrph (b) thereof the following paragraph which shal have effect as paragraph (bb) thereof ;

“(bb) quardicycle shall be one thousand rupees” ;

(4) in Schedule I therof :-

(a) by the substitution for the words “invalid carriage” of the words “vehicle used by persons with disabilities” ;

(b) by the repeal of items 13 and 14 thereof and the substitution therefor of the following :-

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	<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>
	<i>Vehicle Category</i>	<i>Fee payable (Rs.)</i>
13.	Motor Home	15,000.00
14.	Quadricycle	3,000.00

”

(5) in Schedule II thereof :-

(a) by the substitution for the words “invalid carriage” of the words “vehicle used by persons with disabilities” ;

(b) by the repeal of items 12 and 13 thereof and the substitution therefor of the following :-

“

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Vehicle Category</i>	<i>Period of Delay (more than)</i>	<i>Fee payable (Rs.)</i>
12. Motor Home	more than 90 days but less than 1 year	6,000.00
	more than one year but less than 2 years	7,500.00
	more than 2 years but less than 3 years	10,000.00
	more than 3 years but less than 5 years	15,000.00
	more than 5 years	25,000.00
13. Quadricycle	more than 90 days but less than 1 year	4,000.00
	more than 1 year but less than 2 years	5,000.00
	more than 2 years but less than 3 years	6,000.00
	more than 3 years but less than 5 years	7,000.00
	more than 5 years	8,000.00

”

(6) in Schedule III thereof :-

(a) by the substitution for the words “invalid carriage” of the words “vehicle used by persons with disabilities

(b) by the repeal of items 19 and 20 thereof and the substitution therefor of the following :

“

	<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>	<i>Column IV</i>
	<i>Vehicle Category</i>	<i>Normal basis fee (Rs.)</i>	<i>Priority basis fee (Rs.)</i>	<i>One day basis Fee (Rs.)</i>
19	Motor Home	2,500.00	3,250.00	3,750.00
20	Quardicycle	600.00	750.00	1,250.00

”

(7) by the insertion of a new Schedule as Schedule IIIA immediately after Schedule III thereof :-

“SCHEDULE IIIA

**Delayed New Owner Registration**

<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
<i>Vehicle Category for a day</i>	<i>Delay Charge (Rs.)</i>	<i>Maximum Delay Charge (Rs.)</i>
1. Motor Car	100.00	100,000.00
2. Dual Purpose Vehicle	100.00	100,000.00
3. Land Vehicle - (Agriculture)	50.00	50,000.00
4. Land Vehicle - (Non Agriculture)	100.00	100,000.00
5. Land Vehicle - (Four wheel Tractor)	50.00	50,000.00
6. Hand Tractor	25.00	25,000.00
7. Motor Cycle	50.00	50,000.00
8. Motor Tricycle	50.00	50,000.00
9. Motor Tricycle Van	50.00	50,000.00
10. Motor Lorry	100.00	100,000.00
11. Motor Lorry (Forklift)	100.00	100,000.00
12. Motor Lorry (Prime Mover)	100.00	100,000.00
13. Motor Coach	100.00	100,000.00
14. Vehicle used by persons with disabilities	25.00	25,000.00
15. Motor Ambulance	100.00	100,000.00
16. Motor Hearse	100.00	100,000.00
17. Lorry Trailer	100.00	100,000.00
18. Tractor/Trailer	50.00	50,000.00
19. Motor Home	100.00	100,000.00
20. Quadricycle	50.00	50,000.00
21. Special purpose vehicles	100.00	100,000.00 ”

(8) in Part II of the Schedule V thereof, by the insertion immediately after item 4 therefor of the following items which shall have effect as items 5 and 6 of such Schedule

“ Column I	Column II			Column III
Class of Vehicle	Gross Vehicle Weight			Fee payable (Rs.)
5. Motor Home	(a)	(i)	Up to 1,000 kg. (Petrol)	2,000.00
		(ii)	Up to 1,000 Kg (Diesel)	3,500.00
	(b)	(i)	1,000 kg. or more but less than 1,500 kg (Petrol)	2,200.00
		(ii)	1,000 kg or more but less than 1,500 kg (Diesel)	4,000.00
	(c)	(i)	1,500 kg. or more but less than 2,000 kg (Petrol)	2,700.00
		(ii)	1,500 kg or more but less than 2,000 kg (Diesel)	4,200.00
	(d)	(i)	2,000 kg. or more but less than 2,500 kg (Petrol)	3,100.00
		(ii)	2,000 kg or more but less than 2,500 kg (Diesel)	5,500.00
	(e)	(i)	2,500 kg. or more but less than 3,000 kg (Petrol)	4,200.00
		(ii)	2,500 kg or more but less than 3,000 kg (Diesel)	9,000.00
	(f)	(i)	3,000 kg. or more but less than 3,500 kg (Petrol)	10,000.00
		(ii)	3,000 kg or more but less than 3,500 kg (Diesel)	10,000.00
	(g)	(i)	3,500 kg. or more but less than 4,000 kg (Petrol)	12,000.00
		(ii)	3,500 kg or more but less than 4,000 kg (Diesel)	12,000.00
	(h)	(i)	4,000 kg. or more but less than 4,500 kg (Petrol)	15,000.00
		(ii)	4,000 kg or more but less than 4,500 kg (Diesel)	15,000.00
6. Vehicle used by Persons with disabilities	(a)	(i)	Up to 750 Kg. (Petrol)	750.00
		(ii)	Up to 750 Kg. (Diesel)	800.00
	(b)	(i)	750 Kg. or more (Petrol)	900.00
		(ii)	750 Kg. or more (Diesel)	1,000.00”

2. These regulation shall come into force on January 20, 2018.