

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 96

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE MOTOR VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC ACT, CHAP. 48:50

REGULATIONS

MADE THE MINISTER UNDER SECTION 100 OF THE MOTOR VEHICLES  
AND ROAD TRAFFIC ACT AND SUBJECT TO NEGATIVE RESOLUTION OF  
PARLIAMENT

THE MOTOR VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT)  
REGULATIONS, 2018

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Regulations, 2018. Citation

2. The Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Regulations are amended— Regulations  
7 and 27  
amended

(a) in regulation 7—

(i) in subregulation (1)(a)(i)—

(A) by inserting before the words “each plate must be rectangular”, the words “subject to subregulation (1A),”; and

(B) by deleting the words “but when the number 9999 shall have been assigned, the Licensing Authority may thereafter from time to time reassign the numbers 1–9999 in series, each series having a letter of the alphabet prefixed to the number;”; and

(ii) by inserting after subregulation (1), the following subregulation:

“(1A) The number component of an identification mark issued under this regulation shall from time to time be assigned by the Licensing Authority in random or consecutive order from numbers 1 through 9999 for each series having a letter of the alphabet prefixed to the number.”; and

(b) in regulation 27—

(i) by deleting subregulation (1) and substituting the following subregulations:

“(1) A registered owner of a public service vehicle or a goods vehicle over 3200kg, rental car, omnibus, tractor or trailer shall produce his vehicle for inspection by a Transport Officer, annually as the Licensing Authority may direct and shall, at the same time, furnish the Transport Officer with the following information:

- (a) the name of the manufacturer of the chassis;
- (b) model;
- (c) engine number and number of cylinders;
- (d) year of manufacture;
- (e) factory number of chassis, body number or VIN number;
- (f) maximum gross weight in kilogrammes;
- (g) type of body; and
- (h) such addition information as the Licensing Authority may from time to time direct.”

(ii) by inserting after subregulation (1), the following subregulation:

“(1A) A registered owner of a private motor vehicle, public service vehicle or a goods vehicle with a maximum gross weight of up to 3200kg or a motor cycle that is five years old or more, shall produce his motor vehicle for inspection by an examiner biennially, at such premises designated for that purpose as the Licensing Authority may direct.”

Made by the Minister this 9th day of July, 2018.

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