



STATUTORY INSTRUMENT.

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Being a regulation to impose fees and charges on road traffic and for related purposes,

MADE by the Head of State, acting with, and in accordance with the advice of the National Executive Council, under Section 55 of the *Road Traffic Act 2014* to come into operation by notice in the National Gazette.

1. INTERPRETATION.

- (1) In this regulation, unless the context otherwise requires -
- “Act” means the *Road Traffic Act 2014*;
 - “articulated vehicle” means a prime mover and a semi-trailer;
 - “Authority” means the Road Traffic Authority established under Section 4 of the Act;
 - “Caravan” means a trailer that is permanently equipped with features intended to make the vehicle suitable as a person’s dwelling place, and must include at least one sleeping berth and one table, both of which may be of a design that allows them to be retracted or folded away;
 - “commercial trailer” means a trailer that is not used solely for domestic purposes;
 - “commercial vehicle” means a motor vehicle (other than a motor cycle, trailer, motor tractor or prescribed vehicle) that is not used solely for domestic purposes;
 - “domestic trailer” means a trailer that is used solely for domestic purposes;
 - “domestic vehicle” includes any motor vehicle (other than a motor cycle, trailer, motor tractor or prescribed vehicle) used solely for domestic purposes;
 - “gross vehicle weight (GVW)” of a vehicle means the maximum loaded weight for which the vehicle is designed-
 - (a) as specified by the vehicle’s manufacturer; or
 - (b) as specified by the Authority if -
 - (i) a GVW is not specified by the vehicle’s manufacturer; or
 - (ii) a GVW so specified is no longer appropriate because the vehicle has been modified;
 - “motor car” means a motor vehicle constructed principally for the carriage of persons equipped to seat not more than eight adult persons including the driver.

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- “motor cycle” includes a motor vehicle with less than four wheels and an unladen weight of less than 750kg;
- “motor tractor” means a road, oil or steam engine constructed to be used -
- (a) for agricultural purposes; or
 - (b) in connection with agricultural implements and machinery; or
 - (c) for haulage or earth-moving purposes;
- “motor truck” means a motor vehicle used principally -
- (a) for the carriage of goods, wares or merchandise; or
 - (b) for the conveyance of any kind of materials used in any trade, business or industry; or
 - (c) for use in any work other than the conveyance of passengers;
- “omnibus” means a motor vehicle designed for the transport of passengers with a seating capacity of more than 8 passengers;
- “passenger transport licence” means a public motor vehicle licence, a taxicab licence or a private hire car licence;
- “prescribed vehicle” means a forklift, mobile crane, front-end loader, excavator, grader, dozer, roller or other similar motor vehicle;
- “prime mover” means a motor vehicle used to tow a semi-trailer;
- “Road Traffic Rules” or “Rules” mean the ordinary rules made under Section 56 of the Act;
- “semi-trailer” means a trailer -
- (a) the forward end of which is superimposed on prime mover; and
 - (b) that is attached to that prime mover by means of a turn-table or king pin;
- “trailer” means a vehicle without motive power that is capable of being drawn or propelled by a motor vehicle from which it is readily detachable, but does not include -
- (a) a side-car attached to a motor cycle; or
 - (b) a vehicle normally propelled by mechanical power while it is being temporarily towed without the use of its own power.

- (2) For purposes of the fees payable in this Regulation, where a prime mover is used-
- (a) solely with one semi-trailer, the prime mover and the semi-trailer shall be deemed to be a single vehicle; and
 - (b) with a number of semi-trailers -
 - (i) the prime mover and that semi-trailer that would, if it shared, attract the lowest fee shall be deemed to be a single vehicle; and
 - (ii) the other semi-trailers shall be deemed to be trailers.

2. FEES & CHARGES.

(1) The fees and charges payable for the purposes of the Act and the Rules are set out in Schedule 1.

(2) The fee for provision of information regarding driver licensing, motor vehicle registration, passenger and goods transport licensing, and vehicle standards and compliance is K30.

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(3) The fees prescribed by or assessed under this Regulation are inclusive of goods and services tax.

SCHEDULE.

FEES & CHARGES UNDER ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 2014 AND ROAD TRAFFIC RULES 2015.

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	RULE SECTION	FEE (Kina)
<i>Road Traffic Rules - Licensing of Drivers</i>			
1.	Issue of learners permit.	8(2)(c)	55
2.	Issue or renewal of provisional driver's licence.	13(2)(d) & 18(2)(b)	55
3.	Issue or renewal of full driver's licence -	21(2)(b)	
	3.1 issued for 1 year		55
	3.2 issued for 2 years		100
	3.3 issued for 3 years		140
	3.4 issued for 4 years		180
	3.5 issued for 5 years.		220
4.	Issue of replacement learner's permit.	27(4)(b)	55
5.	Issue of replacement provisional driver's licence.	27(4)(b)	55
6.	Issue of replacement full driver's licence -	27(4)(d)	
	6.1 issued for 1 year		55
	6.2 issued for 2 years		100
	6.3 issued for 3 years		140
	6.4 issued for 4 years		180
	6.5 issued for 5 years.		220
<i>Road Traffic Rules - Registration of Motor Vehicles</i>			
7.	Registration or renewal of registration of a domestic vehicle with an engine size -	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	
	7.1 not exceeding 1300 cm ³ (cc)		255
	7.2 exceeding 1300 cm ³ (cc) but not exceeding 2000 cm ³ (cc)		290
	7.3 exceeding 2000 cm ³ (cc) but not exceeding 4000 cm ³ (cc)		500
	7.4 exceeding 4000 cm ³ (cc)		720
8.	Registration or renewal of registration of a commercial vehicle where the gross vehicle weight -	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	
	8.1 does not exceed 1 tonne		270
	8.2 exceeds 1.0 tonne but does not exceed 2 tonnes		360
	8.3 exceeds 2.0 tonnes but does not exceed 3 tonnes		540
	8.4 exceeds 3 tonnes but does not exceed 6 tonnes		720
	8.5 exceeds 6 tonnes but does not exceed 8 tonnes		900
	8.6 exceeds 8 tonnes but does not exceed 10 tonnes		1,080
	and in addition, where gross vehicle weight exceeds 10 tonnes - for each tonne or part of a tonne in excess of 10 tonnes.		110
9.	Registration or renewal of registration of a motor cycle without side-car.	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	145
10	Registration or renewal of registration of a motor cycle with side car.	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	270

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ITEM	DESCRIPTION	RULE SECTION	FEE (Kina)
11.	Registration or renewal of registration of a domestic trailer	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	90
12.	Registration or renewal of registration of a caravan where body length - 12.1 does not exceed 2 metres 12.2 exceeds 2 metres but does not exceed 4 metres 12.3 exceeds 4 metre.	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	90 180 450
13.	Registration or renewal of registration of a commercial trailer - for every tonne or part thereof of gross vehicle weight.	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	110
14.	Registration or renewal of registration of a motor tractor with engine size - 14.1 not exceeding 250 cm ³ (cc) 14.2 exceeding 3000 cm ³ (cc) but not exceeding 6000 cm ³ (cc) 14.3 exceeding 6000 cm ³ (cc)	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	180 290 450
15.	Registration or renewal of registration of motor tractor with pneumatic tyres - 15.1 not exceeding 2500 cm ³ (cc) 15.2 exceeding 3000 cm ³ (cc) but not exceeding 6000 cm ³ (cc) 15.3 exceeding 6000 cm ³ (cc).	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	450 540 720
16.	Registration or renewal of registration of a prescribed vehicle or other vehicle not elsewhere specified in this schedule.	5(2)(f)(iv) & 7(2)(b)(iii)	450
17.	Replacement registration certificate or registration label.	12(4)(b)	50
18.	Issue of a personalized number plate.	16(2)(b)	900
19.	Transfer of a personalized number plate from one vehicle to another.	16(4)(b)	360
20.	Replacement number plate.	17(1)(b) & 18(3)(b)	100
21.	Replacement personalized number plate.	17(1)(b) & 18(3)(b)	900
22.	Permit to drive an unregistered motor vehicle.	22(3)(b)(ii)	90
23.	Alteration of certificate of registration of motor cycle to allow side car to be used.	24(3)	110
24.	Transfer of registration of motor vehicle.	25(4)(b)	90
25.	Visiting motor vehicle permit.	26(2)(b)	90
26.	Traders plate - 26.1 issue or renewal of plate for use on a motor vehicle other than a motor cycle. 26.2 issue or renewal of plate for use on a motor cycle.	28(2)(b)	360 180
27.	Replacement trader's plate certificate.	34(4)(b)	50
28.	Replacement trader's plate.	35(3)(b)	100
Road Traffic Rules - Passenger and Goods Transport Licensing			
29.	Issue or renewal of public motor vehicle licence - 29.1 for each vehicle licensed to carry up to 8 passengers. 29.2 for each passenger licensed to be carried in excess of 8.	8(2)(d)	300 5
30.	Endorsement or permit to drive a public motor vehicle.	16(1)(d)	30
31.	Issue or renewal of a crew member's permit.	19(b)	55
32.	Issue or renewal of a taxicab licence - for each vehicle authorised under licence.	28(2)(d)	200
33.	Testing and sealing a taximeter.	31(c)(ii)	235
34.	Issue or renewal of a private hire car licence - for each vehicle authorised under the licence.	32(2)(d)	200
35.	Issue or renewal of a temporary private hire car licence.	35(2)(d)	30

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ITEM	DESCRIPTION	RULE SECTION	FEE (Kina)
36.	Endorsement to drive a taxicab or private hire car.	38(1)(d)	30
37.	Issue or renewal of a goods transport licence - for each vehicle authorised under the licence	48(2)(e)	500
38.	Endorsement or permit to drive a goods transport vehicle.	56(1)(a)	20
39.	Addition of motor vehicles to a passenger transport licence or goods transport licence - 39.1 for each public motor vehicle licensed to carry up to 8 passengers. 39.2 for each passenger licensed to be carried in a public motor vehicle in excess of 8. 39.3 for each taxicab or private hire car. 39.4 for each goods service vehicle.	62(2)	300 5 200 500
40.	Replacement licence or permit.	74(4)(b)	50
41.	Approval of plans to construct a passenger carrying motor vehicle.	20(b)	2,000
42.	Permit to exceed maximum weights and dimensions.	44(2)(c)	2,000
43.	Examination of staff and inspection of premises and equipment for the purpose of authorizing an inspection station.	68(2)(b)(ii)	1,500
44.	Inspection and testing for roadworthiness - 44.1 motor cycle with or without side-car 44.2 motor car 44.3 motor truck but more than 2,000 kg gross vehicle weight 44.4 motor truck more than 2,000 kg gross vehicle weight 44.5 trailer where braking system not required 44.6 trailer where braking system required 44.7 articulated vehicle 44.8 omnibus with seating capacity under 25 44.9 omnibus with seating capacity 25 and over.	69(3)	20 80 80 105 20 80 130 105 130

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