STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1980 No. 1358

ROAD TRAFFIC

The Community Bus (Amendment) Regulations 1980

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Coming into Operation	*6th October* 1980

The Minister of Transport, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 5(2) and (8) of the Transport Act 1978(**a**) and section 160(1) of the Road Traffic Act 1960(**b**), and now vested in him (**c**), and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with representative organisations in accordance with the provisions of section 260(2)(**d**) of the said Act of 1960, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations shall come into operation on 6th October 1980, and may be cited as the Community Bus (Amendment) Regulations 1980.

2. The Community Bus Regulations 1978(**e**) shall be amended in accordance with the following provisions of these Regulations.

3. In Regulation 2 (Interpretation), in paragraph (1), in the definition of "community bus" for the words "section 6" in each place where they occur substitute the words "section 5", for the words "in subsection (2) of the said section 6" substitute the words "in subsection (8) of the said section 5", and for the words "with section 5 of the Transport Act 1978" substitute the words "with the said section 5".

4. In Regulation 35, in sub-paragraph (*a*) of paragraph (1), for the words "section 5(2)" substitute "section 5(2)(*a*)".

5. In Regulation 36—

(*a*) in paragraph (1), for the words "section 5(6)(*c*)" substitute the words "section 5(2)(*d*)";

(*b*) in paragraph (6), omit the words "or permit" in both places where they occur;

(**a**) 1978 c. 55, as amended by section 43 of, and Part II of Schedule 5 to, the Transport Act 1980 (c. 34).

(**b**) 1960 c. 16; section 160(1) of which Act is amended by section 43 of, and Part I of Schedule 5 to, the Transport Act 1980.

(**c**) As regards 1960 c. 16 by S.I. 1970/1681 and 1979/571.

(**d**) 1960 c. 16; section 260(2) of which Act is amended by section 43 of, and Part I of Schedule 5 to, the Transport Act 1980.

(**e**) S.I. 1978/1313, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.

(*c*) for paragraph (7) substitute the following new paragraph:—

"(7) In this Regulation the expression "licence" means a road service licence granted or deemed to have been granted under section 5, 8 or 9 of the Transport Act 1980(**a**), including a permit granted under section 30 of the Transport Act 1968(**b**) which is deemed to be a road service licence granted under the said section 8".

6. For Regulation 37 substitute the following new Regulation:—

"*Application of the Public Service Vehicles (Road Service Licences and Express Services) Regulations 1980 in relation to Community Buses*

37. The provisions in the Public Service Vehicles (Road Service Licences and Express Services) Regulations 1980 (**c**) shall apply in relation to a road service licence which authorises the provision of a community bus service as they apply in relation to other road service licences.".

Norman Fowler,
Minister of Transport.

8th September 1980.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Regulations.*)

These Regulations amend the Community Bus Regulations 1978 in consequence of—

(*a*) the amendments to the Transport Act 1978 effected by the Transport Act 1980, and

(*b*) the Public Service Vehicles (Road Service Licences and Express Services) Regulations 1980 (which revoke provisions in the Public Service Vehicles (Licences and Certificates) Regulations 1952 (S.I. 1952/900) relating to road service licences and make new provisions relating to the road service licences).

(**a**) 1980 c. 34. (**b**) 1968 c. 73. (**c**) S.I. 1980/1354.

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