STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1976 No. 1956

METROPOLITAN AND CITY POLICE DISTRICTS CABS

The London Cab Order 1976

Made - - - - 18*th November* 1976

Coming into Operation 13*th December* 1976

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 9 of the Metropolitan Public Carriage Act 1869(a) and section 1 of the London Cab and Stage Carriage Act 1907(b) as extended by section 1 of the London Cab Act 1968(c), I hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the London Cab Order 1976 and shall come into operation on 13th December 1976.

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(d) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. In addition to the fares prescribed in Part VI of the London Cab Order 1934(e), as amended (f), for the hiring of a motor cab there shall, by virtue of this Order, in respect of each hiring be a surcharge of 10p if a notice in terms of the notice set out in the Schedule to this Order is prominently displayed in the cab in such a manner as to be clearly legible by the hirer throughout the hiring.

4. The surcharge prescribed by this Order shall not be payable by the hirer unless the driver shall have recorded its amount on the dial of the taximeter as if it were payable as an extra charge prescribed in Part VI of the London Cab Order 1934.

Merlyn Rees,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.

18th November 1976.

(a) 1869 c. 115.
(b) 1907 c. 55.
(c) 1968 c. 7.
(d) 1889 c. 63.
(e) S.R. & O. 1934/1346 (Rev. XIV p. 795: 1934 I, p. 1221).
(f) The relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1975/1216 (1975 II, p. 4202).

SCHEDULE

Form of Notice

THE LONDON CAB ORDER 1976

AUTHORISES A SURCHARGE OF 10p ON EACH HIRING TO BE RECORDED AS AN EXTRA CHARGE ON THE TAXIMETER ON AND AFTER 13TH DECEMBER 1976

AUTHORISED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

The fares and extra charges payable for the hiring of a motor cab in the Metropolitan Police District and the City of London in respect of all journeys beginning and ending in London are prescribed in paragraphs 40 and 41 of the London Cab Order 1934, as set out in the London Cab Order 1975. This Order provides that, in addition to the prescribed fares, a surcharge of 10p will be payable for each hiring if a notice in the terms specified in the Schedule is prominently displayed in the cab throughout the hiring and the amount of the surcharge is recorded on the taximeter as an extra charge.

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