1961 No. 2108

ROAD TRAFFIC

The Motor Vehicles (Tests) (Exemption) (Amendment) Regulations, 1961

Made - - - -	31*st October*, 1961
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Coming into Operation	1*st December*, 1961

The Minister of Transport in exercise of his powers under section 66 of the Road Traffic Act, 1960(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and after consultation with representative organisations in accordance with the provisions of subsection (2) of section 260 of the said Act of 1960, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1.—(1) These Regulations shall come into operation on the first day of December, 1961, and may be cited as the Motor Vehicles (Tests) (Exemption) (Amendment) Regulations, 1961.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(b), shall apply for the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. The Motor Vehicles (Tests) (Exemption) Regulations, 1961(c), shall have effect as though after paragraph (*l*) of Regulation 3 there were added the following paragraph :—

"(*m*) hackney carriages in respect of which there are in force licences granted under—

(i) section 37 of the Town Police Clauses Act, 1847(d) by the Council of the City and County Borough of Liverpool or the Council of the City and County Borough of Manchester or the Council of the City and County Borough of Salford ; or

(ii) Part II of the Edinburgh Corporation Order, 1950(e), and sections 252 and 253 of the Edinburgh Corporation Order, 1958(f) ; or

(iii) Part V A of the Glasgow Corporation Consolidation (General Powers) Order, 1960(g) ; or

(iv) Part XXVII of the Dundee Corporation (Consolidated Powers) Order, 1957(h) ; or

(v) Part VI B of the Aberdeen Corporation (General Powers) Order, 1938(i), and sections 67 and 68 of the Aberdeen Corporation Order, 1955(j)."

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Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Transport this thirty-first day of October, 1961.

(L.S.)

Ernest Marples,
The Minister of Transport.

(a) 8 & 9 Eliz. 2. c. 16. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63. (c) S.I. 1961/209 (1961 I, p. 358).
(d) 10 & 11 Vict. c. 89. (e) *See* 14 Geo. 6. c. xxvii. (f) *See* 7 & 8 Eliz. 2. c. v.
(g) *See* 8 & 9 Eliz. 2. c. iii. (h) *See* 6 & 7 Eliz. 2. c. iv. (i) *See* 2 & 3 Geo. 6. c. iii.
(j) *See* 4 & 5 Eliz. 2. c. iii.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

The Motor Vehicles (Tests) (Exemption) Regulations, 1961, contain provision exempting certain classes or descriptions of vehicles from the requirements of section 66 of the Road Traffic Act, 1960, as respects the need for a test certificate to be issued for the vehicles to which that section applies before they are used on roads.

These Regulations amend the earlier Regulations by including among the vehicles exempted from section 66 hackney carriages licensed to ply for hire in Liverpool, Manchester, Salford, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Dundee and Aberdeen.