STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2025 No. 138

ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

The Penalty Charges (Prescribed Devices) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2025

Made - - - -	*28th July 2025*
Coming into operation	*30th July 2025*

The Department for Infrastructure(**a**) makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 8(1) of the Traffic Management (Northern Ireland) Order 2005(**b**).

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Penalty Charges (Prescribed Devices) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2025 and shall come into operation on 30th July 2025.

Amendments

2.—(1) The Penalty Charges (Prescribed Devices) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2014(**c**) are amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) and (3).

(2) For Regulation 1(2) substitute the following—

"In these Regulations—

"the scheduled requirements" means the requirements set out in the Schedule;

"the 2005 Order" means the Traffic Management (Northern Ireland) Order 2005."

(3) For Regulation 2(2) substitute the following—

"A device shall be taken to meet the scheduled requirements if there has been produced to a senior officer of the Department evidence which satisfies him that it has been found by a competent authority in England and Wales to be one which meets the requirements of an England and Wales standard which requires a level of performance equivalent to that required by the scheduled requirements."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Infrastructure on 28th July 2025

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A senior officer of the Department for Infrastructure

(**a**) Formerly the Department for Regional Development; see section 1(6) and (11) of, and Schedule 1 to, the Departments Act (Northern Ireland) 2016 (2016 c. 5 (N.I.))
(**b**) S.I. 2005/1964 (N.I. 14) as amended by S.R. 2008 No. 78 and 2008 c. 4, Schedule 2 paragraph 13
(**c**) S.R. 2014 No. 279

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

These Regulations amend the Penalty Charges (Prescribed Devices) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2014 allowing for the recognition in Northern Ireland of VCA (Vehicle Certification Approval) certificates that have been granted in England and Wales.