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# ROAD TRAFFIC

## The Road Transport (International Passenger Services) (Amendment) Regulations 1981

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The Secretary of State for Transport, being a Minister designated(a) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(b) in relation to international carriage of passengers by road, in exercise of powers conferred by that section and by section 160(1) of the Road Traffic Act 1960(c), and now vested in him(d), and of all other enabling powers, and (in respect of the Regulations in so far as made under section 160(1) of the said Act of 1960), after consultation with representative organisations in accordance with the provisions of section 260(2) of the said Act of 1960, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

**1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Road Transport (International Passenger Services) (Amendment) Regulations 1981 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1981.

**2.** On and after 1st April 1981 any reference in the Road Transport (International Passenger Services) Regulations 1980(e) to Part III of the Road Traffic Act 1960 and Part I of the Transport Act 1980(f) having effect as if section 127 of the said Act of 1960 were omitted shall be construed as a reference to those Parts of those Acts having effect as if sections 17, 19 and 24 of the said Act of 1980 were omitted, and any reference in those Regulations to those Parts of those Acts having effect as if a new section were substituted for section 127 shall be construed on and after that date as a reference to those Parts of those Acts having effect as if section 17 and 24 of the Act of 1980 were omitted and the corresponding new section were substituted for section 19 of the Act of 1980.

*Norman Fowler*,
Secretary of State for Transport.

23rd March 1981.

(a) S.I. 1972/1811, 1979/571 and 1981/238. (b) 1972 c. 68.
(c) 1960 c. 16; section 160(1) was amended by the European Communities Act 1972 (c. 68), section 4 and Schedule 4, paragraph 10, and by the Transport Act 1980 (c. 34), section 43 and Schedule 5, paragraph 11 in Part I.
(d) S.I. 1970/1681, 1979/571 and 1981/238. (e) S.I. 1980/1459.
(f) 1980 c. 34.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations amend the Road Transport (International Passenger Services) Regulations 1980 to take account of the bringing into force on 1st April 1981 by the Transport Act 1980 (Commencement No. 4) Order 1981 (S.I. 1981/256) of sections 17, 19 and 24 of the Transport Act 1980, and of the repeal of section 127 of the Road Traffic Act 1960 in section 69 of, and Part I of Schedule 9 to the said Act of 1980.

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