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ROAD TRAFFIC

The Road Vehicles (Registration and Licensing) (Amendment) Regulations 1978

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The Secretary of State for Transport in exercise of the powers conferred by section 23 of the Vehicles (Excise) Act 1971**(a)** (as modified by section 39(1) of, and paragraph 20 of Part I of Schedule 7 to, that Act) and section 37 of that Act, and of all other enabling powers, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations shall come into operation on 17th November 1978 and may be cited as the Road Vehicles (Registration and Licensing) (Amendment) Regulations 1978.

2. The Road Vehicles (Registration and Licensing) Regulations 1971**(b)**, as amended **(c)**, shall be further amended by the insertion in paragraph (*a*) of Regulation 26(2) (declaration to be made and certificate to be furnished by applicant for exemption) after the words "in relation to that vehicle" of the words "or that he, or the person in respect of whom he has been appointed in pursuance of regulations under section 81(4)(*b*) of the Social Security Act 1975**(d)** or nominated in pursuance of the said section 7(2), is in receipt of a mobility allowance".

William Rodgers,
Secretary of State for Transport.

23rd October 1978.

(a) 1971 c. 10. **(b)** S.I. 1971/450.
(c) The relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1972/1865.
(d) 1975 c. 14.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations amend the Road Vehicles (Registration and Licensing) Regulations 1971, as amended, as a consequence of the coming into operation of section 8 of the Finance Act 1978 (c. 42) which extends the exemptions from vehicle excise duty in section 7(2) of the Vehicle (Excise) Act 1971 and section 7 of the Finance Act 1971 (c. 68) to persons in receipt of a mobility allowance.

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